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ABSTRACT

The first part of this National Library Service (NLS) for the Blind and Physically Handicapped directory lists NLS network libraries and machine-lending agencies, arranged alphabetically by state. The information for each library includes its address, telephone number, librarian, hours of operation, book collection, assistive devices, special services, and publications. Other library resources at the national level are listed in the second part of the directory, arranged alphabetically by the name of the organization. Each entry indicates address, telephone number, contact person, eligibility requirements, book collection, subject coverage, reading levels, and distribution policy. Two appendices give NLS network library statistics for FY 1993 (October-September) on readership and circulation divided by medium (recorded disc, braille, and recorded cassette) and on budget, staff, and collections. (JLB)

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National Library Service

A free national library service providing recorded and braille materials to blind and physically handicapped persons is administered by the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress (NLS). With the cooperation of authors and publishers who grant permission to use copyrighted works, NLS selects and produces full-length books and magazines in braille and on recorded disc and cassette. The reading materials produced are then distributed to a cooperating network of regional and subregional libraries that circulate them to eligible borrowers by postage-free mail. Network libraries also offer reference, readers' advisory, and other services.

Established by an act of Congress in 1931 to serve blind adults, the program was expanded in 1952 to include children, and again in 1966 by Public Law 89-552 to include individuals with physical impairments that prevent the reading of standard print. Fifty-six regional and eighty-six subregional libraries are currently part of the network, serving all parts of the United States, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, and Guam.

Playback equipment is loaned free for use with books and magazines recorded on disc at 8 and 16 rpm and on cassette at 1-7/8 and 15/16 ips. Special accessories supplied on request include special amplifiers, remote control units, breath switches, extension levers, and pillowphones. Libraries and other designated machine-lending agencies serve as distribution points for playback equipment and accessories.

Applications for library service from eligible persons or institutions such as hospitals and nursing homes are made directly to the network library or machine-lending agency serving a particular geographic area. Application forms, demonstration equipment, and sample reading materials are available in many local public libraries.

American citizens temporarily living abroad receive service directly from NLS and should apply to the Network Services Section. International interlibrary loans may be arranged with NLS; however, direct service is not extended to individuals outside the United States, its territories, and possessions unless they are American citizens.

Music services are provided by the NLS Music Section which has an extensive collection of music scores, books, and instructional materials in braille, large print, and recorded media. Through its Reference Section, NLS serves as a national information resource on various aspects of disability. The National Library Service also functions as a bibliographic center on reading materials for people with disabilities and can make referrals to libraries and organizations that have materials in special media.

A number of not-for-profit organizations and volunteer groups that are not part of the NLS network also provide reading materials in special media on loan to print-handicapped individuals. Criteria for inclusion of these organizations are: services offered nationwide; a book collection sufficiently broad in subject matter to be of general interest; a minimum of two hundred titles available on loan; and circulation on the basis of free loan or for a minimal fee to cover basic costs. As additional organizations meeting these criteria become known, they will be included in future editions of the directory.

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How to use the directory

Beginning on page 1, NLS network libraries and machine-lending agencies are arranged alphabetically by state. Within each state the regional library appears first, followed by subregional libraries (if any) listed alphabetically by city. In several states two regional libraries have been established; in these instances, the specific service area of each library is shown.

Regional libraries that also function as machine-lending agencies are identified by an asterisk (*) immediately following the name of the library. Separate machine-lending agencies (if any) are listed as the final entry for a state.

Regional libraries designated as braille-lending libraries are identified by a number symbol (#). Braille is listed under the book collection for each of these libraries. For libraries not designated as braille-lending libraries, braille collections are listed under the special collections category.

The information about NLS network libraries and machine-lending agencies contained in the body of the directory and in Appendix II was provided by each network library and machine-lending agency in response to a questionnaire circulated in February 1994; readership and circulation statistics in Appendix I are for federal fiscal year (October–September) 1993. In the few cases where responses were not received or information was not available, data from the previous edition of the directory have been reprinted and footnoted. An effort was made to record changes in names, addresses, and telephone numbers up to July 1994.

Beginning on page 53, other library resources at the national level are arranged alphabetically by the name of the organization. Each entry indicates eligibility requirements, special media available, subject coverage, and lending policies, all of which may vary from one organization to another. Requests for catalogs or further information about their services should be addressed to the appropriate organization and not to the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped or its cooperating network libraries.

Free copies of this directory are available to libraries and organizations by contacting:

Reference Section
National Library Service for the Blind
and Physically Handicapped
Library of Congress
Washington, DC 20542

Alabama

Regional Library

Alabama Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
Alabama Public Library Service
6030 Monticello Drive
Montgomery, AL 36130
Bulk mail: **6030 Monticello Drive**

Telephone: (205) 213-3906
In-WATS: 800-392-5671
TDD: (205) 272-0830
FAX: (205) 213-3993
Serves: Alabama
Librarian: Mrs. Fara L. Zaleski
Machine agency: Mrs. Fara L. Zaleski
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; reading machine; speech output device; tone indexer
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassettes
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Libraries

Library for the Blind and Handicapped
Public Library of Anniston and Calhoun County
P.O. Box 308
Anniston, AL 36202
Bulk mail: **108 East 10th Street**

Telephone: (205) 237-8501
FAX: (205) 238-0474
Librarian: Mrs. Deenie M. Culver
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Compact-disc player
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

Department for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Houston-Love Memorial Library
P.O. Box 1369
Dothan, AL 36302
Bulk mail: **212 West Burdeshaw Street**
Dothan, AL 36303

Telephone: (205) 793-9767
TDD: (205) 793-9767
FAX: (205) 793-6645
Librarian: Ms. Myrtis Merrow
Hours: 9:00–9:00, M & T; 9:00–6:00, W–F; 9:00–1:00, Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services

Huntsville Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
P.O. Box 443
Huntsville, AL 35804
Bulk mail: **915 Monroe Street, SW**
Huntsville, AL 35801

Telephone: (205) 532-5980 and (205) 532-5981
TDD: (205) 532-5968
FAX: (205) 532-5994
Librarian: Mrs. Joyce L. Smith
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier; page turner; thermoform duplicator
Special services: Braille transcribing; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service; volunteer-produced materials

Library and Resource Center for the Blind and Physically Handicapped #
Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind
705 South Street, P.O. Box 698
Talladega, AL 35160

Telephone: (205) 761-3287 and (205) 761-3288
In-WATS: 800-848-4722
FAX: (205) 761-3337
Librarian: Mrs. Teresa Lacy
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Descriptive home video collection; reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; textbooks in special format
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; Franklin Talking Dictionary; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's story hour; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Patron newsletter

Tuscaloosa Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Tuscaloosa Public Library
1801 River Road
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401

Telephone: (205) 345-3994
TDD: (205) 345-3994
FAX: (205) 752-8300
Librarian: Mrs. Barbara B. Jordan
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service; volunteer-produced materials

Alaska

Regional Library

Alaska State Library
Talking Book Center *
344 West Third Avenue, Suite 125
Anchorage, AK 99501

Telephone: (907) 269-6575
TDD: (907) 269-6575
FAX: (907) 269-6580
Internet: patm@muskox
Serves: Alaska
Librarian: Ms. Patricia Meek
Machine agency: Ms. Patricia Meek
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; Alaska native-language material; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Closed-caption decoder; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassettes
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Arizona

Regional Library

Arizona State Braille and Talking Book Library *
1030 North 32nd Street
Phoenix, AZ 85008

Telephone: (602) 255-5578
In-WATS: 800-255-5578
FAX: (602) 255-4312
Serves: Arizona
Librarian: Ms. Linda A. Montgomery
Machine agency: Mr. David Whittall
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette. Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors
Special services: Braille transcribing; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service; volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies; volunteer newsletter

Arkansas

Regional Library

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
One Capitol Mall
Little Rock, AR 72201-1081

Telephone: (501) 682-1155
In-WATS: 800-960-9270
FAX: (501) 682-1529
Internet: fedworld.doc.gov
Serves: Arkansas
Librarian: Mr. John J.D. Hall
Machine agency: Mr. John J.D. Hall
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Subject bibliographies

Subregional Libraries

Library for the Blind and Handicapped, Northwest
Ozarks Regional Library
217 East Dickson Street
Fayetteville, AR 72701

Telephone: (501) 442-6253
FAX: (501) 442-6254
Librarian: Ms. Rachel Anne Ames
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Children's story hour
Publications: Patron newsletter

Fort Smith Public Library for the Blind and Handicapped
61 South Eighth Street
Fort Smith, AR 72901

Telephone: (501) 783-0229
TDD (501) 783-5129
FAX: (501) 782-8571
Librarian: Ms. Gayle A. Dean
Hours: 9:00–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films; videos
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment
Publications: Patron newsletter

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Northeast
Crowley Ridge Regional Library
315 West Oak
Jonesboro, AR 72401

Telephone: (501) 935-2114
FAX: (501) 935-7987
Librarian: Mrs. Ruth Ball
Hours: 8:30–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Compact-disc player; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Library for the Blind and Handicapped, Southwest
CLOC Regional Library
P.O. Box 668
Magnolia, AR 71753
Bulk mail: **220 East Main**

Telephone: (501) 234-1991
Librarian: Ms. Christine McDonald
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F; 9:00–12:00, Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette

California Southern California

Regional Library

Braille Institute Library Services * #
741 North Vermont Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90029-3594
Bulk mail: **4205 Melrose Avenue**

Telephone: (213) 663-1111, ext. 500 and (213) 660-3880
In-WATS: 800-252-9486
FAX: (213) 663-0867
Serves: San Luis Obispo, Kern, San Bernardino, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Diego, and Imperial counties
Librarian: Dr. Henry C. Chang
Machine agency: Mr. Fekade Tadesse
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; descriptive videos; Spanish-language books; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; Optacon; reading machine
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's story hour; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; volunteer-produced braille and cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

California Northern California

Regional Library

Braille and Talking Book Library * #
California State Library
600 Broadway
Sacramento, CA 95818

Telephone: (916) 322-4090
In-WATS: 800-952-5666
FAX: (916) 324-8121
Serves: Northern and Central California
Librarian: Ms. Donine Hedrick
Machine agency: Ms. Mary Ann Pattinson
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device
Special services: Volunteer-produced braille and cassette books
Publications: Catalog of locally produced materials

Subregional Libraries

Fresno County Free Library
Blind and Handicapped Services
770 North San Pablo
Ted Wills Community Center
Fresno, CA 93728

Telephone: (209) 488-3217
In-WATS: 800-742-1011
TDD: (209) 488-3209
FAX: (209) 488-1971
Librarian: Ms. Deborah Janzen
Hours: 10:00–4:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Library for the Blind and Print Handicapped
San Francisco Public Library
3150 Sacramento Street
San Francisco, CA 94115-2090

Telephone: (415) 292-2022
Librarian: Mr. Martin Magid
Hours: M, Th, F: 1:00–6:00, T–W; 10:00–6:00
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Book discussion group; children's story hour; children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Patron newsletter (part of cassette magazine)

Colorado

Regional Library

Colorado Talking Book Library *
180 Sheridan Boulevard
Denver, CO 80226-8097

Telephone: (303) 727-9277
In-WATS: 800-685-2136
FAX: (303) 727-9281
Serves: Colorado
Librarian: Ms. Barbara Goral
Machine agency: Ms. Charmayne Wood
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

Connecticut

Regional Library

Connecticut State Library * #
Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
198 West Street
Rocky Hill, CT 06067

Telephone: (203) 566-2151
In-WATS: 800-842-4516
FAX: (203) 566-6669
Serves: Connecticut
Librarian: Ms. Carol A. Taylor
Machine agency: Mr. Gordon Reddick
Hours: 8:30–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Catalog of locally produced materials

Delaware

Regional Library

Delaware Division of Libraries *
Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
43 South DuPont Highway
Dover, DE 19901

Telephone: (302) 739-4748
In-WATS: 800-282-8676
TDD: (302) 739-4748
FAX: (302) 739-6787
Serves: Delaware
Librarian: Mrs. Anne E. Norman
Machine agency: Mrs. Anne E. Norman
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
Braille readers receive service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; reading machine; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

District of Columbia

Regional Library

District of Columbia Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
901 G Street NW, Room 215
Washington, DC 20001

Telephone: (202) 727-2142
TDD: (202) 727-2145
FAX: (202) 727-1129
Serves: District of Columbia
Librarian: Ms. Grace J. Lyons
Machine agency: Ms. Grace J. Lyons
Hours: 9:00–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; books on computer diskette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

Florida

Regional Library

Florida Bureau of Braille and Talking Book Library Services * #
420 Platt Street
Daytona Beach, FL 32114-2804
Bulk mail: **Florida Regional Library**
Daytona Beach, FL 32198-0001

Telephone: (904) 239-6000
In-WATS: 800-226-6075
TDD: 800-226-6075
FAX: (904) 239-6069
Internet: weberd@mail.firn.edu
Serves: Florida
Librarian: Mr. Donald John Weber
Machine agency: Mr. Jose Santana
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors; textbooks; children's books on cassette and in braille; Spanish-language books; books on computer diskette
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Subregional Libraries

Talking Book Service
Manatee County Central Library
1301 Barcarrota Boulevard West
Bradenton, FL 34205-7599

Telephone: (813) 749-7114
TDD: (813) 742-5951
FAX: (813) 749-7191
Librarian: Mr. Frederick Duda
Hours: 10:00–6:00, M–Th; 10:00–5:00, F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps, films, videos
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Brevard County Library System
Talking Books Library
308 Forrest Avenue
Cocoa, FL 32922-7781

Telephone: (407) 633-1810 and (407) 633-1811
TDD: (407) 633-1811
FAX: (407) 633-1790
Librarian: Ms. Kay Briley
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M, Th, F; 9:00–7:30, T–W
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; machine repair; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Broward County Talking Book Library
100 South Andrews Avenue
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

Telephone: (305) 357-7555 and (305) 357-7413
TDD: (305) 357-7413
Librarian: Ms. Barbara Kelly
Hours: 12:00–6:00, M & Th; 10:00–6:00, T–W; 10:00–5:00, F; 10:00–2:00, Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; commercial, compatible, cassette player; magnifier; reading machine
Special services: Book discussion groups; home visits; talking book buddies; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Talking Book Library
Jacksonville Public Libraries
1755 Edgewood Avenue West Suite 1
Jacksonville, FL 32208-7206

Telephone: (904) 765-5588
TDD: (904) 768-7822
FAX: (904) 768-7404
Librarian: Ms. Susan V. Arthur
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books; braille
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine
Special services: Children's summer reading program; talking book buddies; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Pinellas Talking Book Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
12345 Starkey Road Suite L
Largo, FL 34643-2611

Telephone: (813) 538-9567
TDD: (813) 538-8949
FAX: (813) 531-5071
Internet: Carlsog@mail.firn.edu
Librarian: Mr. Greg Carlson
Hours: 10:00–6:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille embosser, closed-circuit TV; magnifier; paperless braille device; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; talking book buddies; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Talking Book Library of Dade and Monroe Counties
Miami-Dade Public Library System
150 NE 79th Street
Miami, FL 33138-4890

Telephone: (305) 751-8687
In-WATS: 800-451-9544
TDD: (305) 758-6599
FAX: (305) 757-5237
Librarian: Ms. Barbara L. Moyer
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter

Lee County Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
13240 North Cleveland Avenue, #5-6
North Ft. Myers, FL 33903-4855

Telephone: (813) 995-2665
In-WATS: 800-854-8195
FAX: (813) 995-1681
Librarian: Mrs. Barbara Ferris
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier; reading machine
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Orange County Library System
Talking Book Section
101 East Central Boulevard
Orlando, FL 32801

Telephone: (407) 425-4694, ext. 421 or 422
TDD: (407) 425-5668
FAX: (407) 425-4694, ext. 428
Librarian: Ms. Debora Lisle
Hours: 8:30–5:30, M–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment

West Florida Regional Library
Subregional Talking Book Library
200 West Gregory Street
Pensacola, FL 32501

Telephone: (904) 435-1760
FAX: (904) 432-9582
Librarian: Ms. Martha L. Lazor
Hours: 8:00–5:00, T–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; reading machine
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment

Talking Books
Palm Beach County Library Annex
7950 Central Industrial Drive
Suite 104
Riviera Beach, FL 33404-9947

Telephone: (407) 845-4600
FAX: (407) 845-4640
Librarian: Pat Mistretta
Hours: 10:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits

Hillsborough County Talking Book Library
Tampa-Hillsborough County Public Library System
900 North Ashley Drive
Tampa, FL 33602-3788

Telephone: (813) 273-3609
TDD: (813) 273-3610
FAX: (813) 273-3641
Librarian: Ms. Jean Peters, acting
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV, magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter

Georgia

Regional Library

Georgia Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
1150 Murphy Avenue SW
Atlanta, GA 30310

Telephone: (404) 756-4619
In-WATS: 800-248-6701
FAX: (404) 756-4618
Internet: dale-snair@solinet.net
Serves: Georgia
Librarian: Mr. Dale Snair
Machine agency: Ms. Sharon Joseph
Hours: 7:45–5:00, M–F; 12:00–8:00, T, Th
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer
Special services: Home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines

Subregional Libraries

Albany Library for the Blind and Handicapped
Dougherty County Public Library
300 Pine Avenue
Albany, GA 31701

Telephone: (912) 431-2920
FAX: (912) 430-4020
Librarian: Mrs. Kathryn R. Sinquefield
Hours: 9:30–6:00, M–F
Book collection: disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices; Closed-caption decoder; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Athens Talking Book Center
Athens-Clarke County Regional Library
2025 Baxter Street
Athens, GA 30606

Telephone: (706) 613-3655
TDD: (706) 613-3655
FAX: (706) 613-3660
Librarian: Ms. Janet Wright
Hours: 9:00–6:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Book discussion group; volunteer-produced magazine
Publications: Patron newsletter

Talking Book Center
Augusta-Richmond County Public Library
425 Ninth Street
Augusta, GA 30901

Telephone: (706) 821-2625
FAX: (706) 724-6762
Internet: wanda-j-calhoun@solinet.net
Librarian: Mr. Gary Swint
Hours: 9:00–7:00, M–F; 9:00–5:30, Sat; 2:00–5:30, Sun
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books on cassette; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; screen-enlarging software
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service, volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Bainbridge Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Southwest Georgia Regional Library
Shotwell and Monroe Streets
Bainbridge, GA 31717

Telephone: (912) 248-2680
In-WATS: 800-795-2680
TDD: (912) 248-2665
FAX: (912) 248-2670
Librarian: Ms. Susan Whittle
Hours: 10:00–7:00, M; 9:00–6:00 T-F; 10:00–4:00, Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine
Special services: Children's story hour; children's summer reading program; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

Talking Book Center
Brunswick-Glynn County Regional Library
208 Gloucester Street
Brunswick, GA 31523

Telephone: (912) 267-1212
Librarian: Mrs. Betty Ransom
Hours: 10:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Talking Book Center
1120 Bradley Drive
Columbus, GA 31906-2800

Telephone: (706) 649-0780, ext. 22 or 23
FAX: (706) 649-1914
Librarian: Mr. Crawford B. Pike
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV
Special services: Braille transcribing
Publications: Patron newsletter

Oconee Regional Library
Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
801 Bellevue Avenue
P.O. Box 100
Dublin, GA 31040

Telephone: (912) 275-5382
In-WATS: 800-453-5541
FAX: (912) 275-5381
Librarian: Ms. Chris Campbell Woodburn
Hours: 9:00–6:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Compact-disc player; magnifier
Special services: Home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Chestatee Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
127 North Main Street
Gainesville, GA 30501

Telephone: (404) 535-5738
FAX: (404) 532-4305
Librarian: Ms. Sandra Whitmer
Hours: 9:00–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Assistive devices: Hard-copy large-print device
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter

La Fayette Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
305 South Duke Street
La Fayette, GA 30728

Telephone: (706) 638-2992
FAX: (706) 638-4028
Librarian: Mrs. Margaret Bridges
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassettes
Publications: Patron newsletter

Macon Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Washington Memorial Library
1180 Washington Avenue
Macon, GA 31201

Telephone: (912) 744-0877
IN-WATS: 800-805-7613
TDD: (912) 744-0877
FAX: (912) 742-3161
Librarian: Ms. Rebecca M. Sherrill
Hours: 9:00–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Children's story hour; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter; weekly cassette newspaper

Rome Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Sara Hightower Regional Library
205 Riverside Parkway
Rome, GA 30161-2911

Telephone: (706) 236-4618
In-WATS: 800-207-5757
FAX: (706) 236-4605
Librarian: Ms. Sue Frazier
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
CEL Regional Library
2002 Bull Street
Savannah, GA 31499

Telephone: (912) 234-5127
In-WATS: 800-342-4455
TDD: (912) 234-5127
FAX: (912) 236-7782
Librarian: Ms. Linda Stokes
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
South Georgia Regional Library
601 North Lee Street
Valdosta, GA 31601-4766

Telephone: (912) 333-5210
Librarian: Ms. Sharon Bernstein
Hours: 7:30–4:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services; local newspaper on cassette
Publications: Patron newsletter

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Hawaii

Regional Library

Hawaii State Library
Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
402 Kapahulu Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815

Telephone: (808) 732-7767
In-WATS: 800-559-4096
TDD: (808) 732-7767
FAX: (808) 732-4158
Serves: Hawaii, Guam, and U.S. Pacific Islands
Librarian: Mrs. Sally Morgan
Machine agency: Mrs. Sally Morgan
Hours: 9:00–4:30, M–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors; textbooks; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer program; radio reading service; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Idaho

Subregional Library

Guam Public Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library
254 Martyr Street
Agana, GU 96910

Telephone: (671) 472-6417 and (671) 472-8264
FAX: (671) 477-9777
Librarian: Ms. Annie Mafnas
Hours: 9:30–8:00, T & Th; 9:30–6:00, M, W, & F; 10:00–4:00, Sat; 12:00–4:00, Sun
Book collection: Disc, cassette

Regional Library

Idaho State Talking Book Library *
325 West State Street
Boise, ID 83702

Telephone: (208) 334-2117
In-WATS: 800-233-4931
TDD: 800-377-1363
FAX: (208) 334-4016
Internet: ksalmon@suitea.isl.lib.id.us
Serves: Idaho
Librarian: Mr. Kay H. Salmon
Machine agency: Mr. Kay H. Salmon
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books; films, videos
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV
Special services: Volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Illinois

Regional Library

Illinois Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
1055 West Roosevelt Road
Chicago, IL 60608-1591

Telephone: (312) 746-9210
In-WATS: 800-331-2351
FAX: (312) 746-9192
Serves: Illinois, braille readers in Wisconsin
Librarian: Ms. Hattie L. Lucas Power
Machine agency: Ms. Hattie L. Lucas Power
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced braille and cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter

Southern Illinois Talking Book Center
c/o Shawnee Library System
511 Greenbriar Road
Carterville, IL 62918-1600

Telephone: (618) 985-8375
In-WATS: 800-455-2665
TDD: (618) 985-8375
FAX: (618) 985-4211
Librarian: Ms. Kristi Barnes
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced cassettes
Publications: Patron newsletter; children's newsletter

Chicago Public Library
Talking Book Center
1055 West Roosevelt Road
Chicago, IL 60608

Telephone: (312) 746-9200
IN-WATS: 800-757-4654
FAX: (312) 746-9192
Librarian: Ms. Mamie Grady
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Talking Book Center of Northwest Illinois
P.O. Box 125
Coal Valley, IL 61240
Bulk mail: **220 West 23rd Avenue**

Telephone: (309) 799-3137
In-WATS: 800-747-3137
FAX: (309) 799-7916
Librarian: Ms. Karen Odean
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books; descriptive videos
Assistive devices: Braille writer; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter

Voices of Vision
Talking Book Center
DuPage Library System
127 South First Street
Geneva, IL 60134

Telephone: (708) 208-0398
In-WATS: 800-227-0625
FAX: (708) 208-0399
Internet: dls-gen@dupagels.lib.il.us
Librarian: Ms. Yvonne Rusch
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Descriptive videos
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; hard-copy large-print device
Special services: Book discussion group; children's summer reading program; home visits; radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Heart of Illinois Talking Book Center
Illinois Valley Library System
845 Brenkman Drive
Pekin, IL 61554

Telephone: (309) 353-4110
In-WATS: 800-426-0709
FAX: (309) 353-8281
Librarian: Ms. Lori Bell
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Descriptive videos
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

River Road Talking Book Service
Great River Library System
515 York
Quincy, IL 62301

Telephone: (217) 224-6619
In-WATS: 800-537-1274
TDD: (217) 224-6619
FAX: (217) 224-9818
Librarian: Ms. Eileen Sheppard
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; descriptive videos
Assistive devices: Hard-copy large-print device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service
Publications: Patron newsletter

Indiana

Regional Library

Indiana State Library
Special Services Division * #
140 North Senate Avenue
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Telephone: (317) 232-3684
In-WATS: 800-622-4970
TDD: (317) 232-7763
FAX: (317) 232-3728
Internet: lbph@statelib.lib.in.us
Serves: Indiana
Librarian: Ms. Lissa Shanahan
Machine agency: Ms. Lissa Shanahan
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Subregional Libraries

Bartholomew County Public Library
Fifth at Lafayette
Columbus, IN 47201

Telephone: (812) 379-1277
FAX: (812) 379-1275
Librarian: Ms. Wilma J. Perry
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special services: Home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

Blind and Physically Handicapped Services
Elkhart Public Library
300 South Second
Elkhart, IN 46516-3184

Telephone: (219) 522-2665, ext. 46
Librarian: Mrs. Pat Ciancio
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Publications: Patron newsletter; music catalog

Talking Books Service
Evansville-Vanderburgh County Public Library
22 South East Fifth Street
Evansville, IN 47708

Telephone: (812) 428-8235
Librarian: Mrs. Barbara Shanks
Hours: 8:30–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV
Special services: Children's summer reading program

Iowa

Regional Library

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Iowa Department for the Blind * #
524 Fourth Street
Des Moines, IA 50309

Telephone: (515) 281-1333
In-WATS: 800-362-2587
TDD: (515) 281-1355
FAX: (515) 281-1263
Serves: Iowa
Librarian: Mr. R. Creig Slayton (Director)
Machine agency: Mr. R. Creig Slayton (Director)
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; foreign-language books; textbooks; children's books; books on computer diskette
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; Optacon; paperless braille device; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; braille transcribing; volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Northwest Indiana Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Lake County Public Library
1919 West 81st Avenue
Merrillville, IN 46410-5382

Telephone: (219) 769-3541, ext. 323
TDD: (219) 769-3541
FAX: (219) 769-0690
Librarian: Ms. Joanne Sorich
Hours: 9:00–4:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; reading machine
Special services: Braille transcribing; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter; large print catalog

Kansas

Regional Library

Kansas State Library *
Kansas Talking Book Service
ESU Memorial Union
1200 Commercial
Emporia, KS 66801

Telephone: (316) 343-7124
In-WATS: 800-362-0699
FAX: (316) 343-7124
Internet: ksst16lb@ink.org
Serves: Kansas
Librarian: Ms. Patti Lang
Machine agency: Ms. Patti Lang
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Libraries

Talking Book Service
CKLS Headquarters
1409 Williams
Great Bend, KS 67530

Telephone: (316) 792-2393
In-WATS: 800-362-2642
FAX: (316) 792-5495
Librarian: Ms. Joanita Doll-Masden
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

South Central Kansas Library System
Talking Book Subregional
901 North Main
Hutchinson, KS 67501

Telephone: (316) 663-5441, ext 7
In-WATS: 800-234-0529, ext 4
FAX: (316) 663-1215
Librarian: Ms. Karen Socha
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services

Manhattan Public Library
Juliette and Poyntz
Manhattan, KS 66502

Telephone: (913) 776-4741
In-WATS: 800-432-2796
FAX: (913) 776-1545
Librarian: Ms. Marion Rice
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Book discussion group; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Talking Books
Northwest Kansas Library System
2 Washington Square, P.O. Box 446
Norton, KS 67654-0446

Telephone: (913) 877-5148
In-WATS: 800-432-2858
FAX: (913) 877-5697
Internet: nwkls1b@ink.org
Librarian: Ms. Clarice Howard
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Home visits; volunteer-produced cassettes
Publications: Patron newsletter

Talking Books
Topeka and Shawnee County Public Library
1515 West 10th Street
Topeka, KS 66604

Telephone: (913) 231-0576
In-WATS: 800-432-2925
TDD: (913) 231-0545
FAX: (913) 233-2055
Librarian: Ms. Suzanne Bundy
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier;
Special services: Children's summer reading program; home visits; volunteer service
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Wichita Public Library
Talking Books Section
223 South Main
Wichita, KS 67202

Telephone: (316) 262-0611
In-WATS: 800-362-2869
TDD: (316) 262-3972
FAX: (316) 262-4540
Librarian: Ms. Betty C. Spriggs
Hours: 10:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Closed-caption device; page turner; reading machine
Publications: Patron newsletter

Kentucky

Regional Library

Kentucky Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
300 Coffee Tree Road
P.O. Box 818
Frankfort, KY 40602

Telephone: (502) 875-7000
In-WATS: 800-372-2968
FAX: (502) 564-5773
Serves: Kentucky
Librarian: Mr. Richard Feindel
Machine agency: Mr. Richard Feindel
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Assistive devices: Braille writer
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines

Subregional Libraries

Northern Kentucky Talking Book Library
502 Scott Street
Covington, KY 41011

Telephone: (606) 491-7610
Librarian: Ms. Alice Manchikes
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassettes

Talking Book Library
Louisville Free Public Library
301 West York Street
Louisville, KY 40203

Telephone: (502) 574-1625
TDD: (502) 574-1621
FAX: (502) 574-1657
Librarian: Ms. Maxine Harris Surratt
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; thermoform duplicator
Special services: Book discussion group; children's story hour; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; radio reading service; volunteer-produced cassette books, newspaper, and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Louisiana

Regional Library

Louisiana State Library * #
Section for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
760 North Third Street
Baton Rouge, LA 70802

Telephone: (504) 342-4944 and (504) 342-4943
In-WATS: 800-543-4702
FAX: (504) 342-3547
Serves: Louisiana
Librarian: Mrs. Jennifer Anjier
Machine agency: Mr. Michael Acosta
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Children's books; films, videos
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Maine

Regional Library

Library Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped *
Maine State Library
State House Station 64
Augusta, ME 04333-0064

Telephone: (207) 287-5650 and (207) 947-8336
In-WATS: 800-452-8793 and 800-762-7106
FAX: (207) 287-5624
Serves: Maine
Librarian: Ms. Benita D. Davis
Machine agency: Mr. James Cram
Hours: 7:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Brailie readers receive service from Massachusetts.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; French-language large-print books
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter

Maryland

Regional Library

Maryland State Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
415 Park Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21201-3603

Telephone: (410) 333-2668
In-WATS: 800-964-9209
TDD: (410) 333-8679 and 800-934-2541
FAX: (410) 333-2095
Serves: Maryland
Librarian: Ms. Sharron McFarland
Machine agency: Ms. Sharron McFarland
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; large-print children's books; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; volunteer-produced materials
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Subregional Libraries

Special Needs Library
Montgomery County Department of Public Libraries
6400 Democracy Boulevard
Bethesda, MD 20817

Telephone: (301) 897-2212
TDD: (301) 897-2217
FAX: (301) 897-2214
Librarian: Ms. Charlette Stinnett
Hours: 10:00–6:00, M & Th; 12:30–8:30 T; 9:00–5:00, Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; children's books; braille
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; page turner; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Book discussion group
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Talking Book Center
Prince George's County Memorial Library
6530 Adelphi Road
Hyattsville, MD 20782-2008

Telephone: (301) 779-2570
FAX: (301) 699-0122
Librarian: Ms. Judy Walsh
Hours: 10:00–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Cassette, disc
Assistive devices: Braille duplicator; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services

Massachusetts

Regional Library

Braille and Talking Book Library * #
Perkins School for the Blind
175 North Beacon Street
Watertown, MA 02172

Telephone: (617) 972-7240
In-WATS: 800-852-3133
FAX: (617) 926-2027
Serves: Massachusetts; braille readers in Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont
Librarian: Ms. Patricia Kirk
Machine agency: Ms. Patricia Kirk
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Braille, cassette, disc
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; Optacon; screen-enlarging software; speech output device; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Library

Talking Book Library
Worcester Public Library
3 Salem Square
Worcester, MA 01608-2074

Telephone: (508) 799-1730 and (508) 799-1661
In-WATS: 800-762-0085
TDD: (508) 799-1731
FAX: (508) 799-1652
Librarian: Mr. James Izatt
Hours: 10:00–5:30, M–Sat
Book collection: Cassette, disc
Special collections: Films, videos
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Book discussion group; children's story hour; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Michigan Except Wayne County

Regional Library

Library of Michigan
Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
Box 30007
Lansing, MI 48909
Bulk mail: **717 West Allegan Street**
Lansing, MI 48909

Telephone: (517) 373-1590
In-WATS: 800-992-9012
TDD: (517) 373-1592
FAX: (517) 373-5865
Serves: Michigan except Wayne County; all Michigan for braille
Librarian: Ms. Margaret Wolfe
Machine agency: Ms. Margaret Wolfe
Hours: 8:00–6:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Finnish-language books on cassette; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Subregional Libraries

Northland Library Cooperative
316 East Chisholm Street
Alpena, MI 49707

Telephone: (517) 356-1622
In-WATS: 800-446-1580
FAX: (517) 354-3939
Librarian: Ms. Catherine Glomski
Hours: 8:00–4:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Children's books; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille writer; magnifier; hard-copy large-print device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

Washtenaw County Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
P.O. Box 8645
Ann Arbor, MI 48107
Bulk mail: **4133 Washtenaw Avenue**
Ann Arbor, MI 48104

Telephone: (313) 971-6059
FAX: (313) 971-3892
Librarian: Ms. Mary E. Udoji
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Films, videos; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of large-print collection

Macomb Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
16480 Hall Road
Clinton Township, MI 48038-1140

Telephone: (810) 286-1580
TDD: (810) 286-9940
FAX: (810) 286-0634
Librarian: Ms. Linda Champion
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; children's large-print books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-caption decoder; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Oakland County Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Farmington Community Library
32737 West Twelve Mile Road
Farmington Hills, MI 48334-3302

Telephone: (313) 553-0300
TDD: (313) 553-0320
FAX: (313) 553-4037
Librarian: Ms. Betty Ramey
Hours: 10:00–9:00, M & W; 10:00–5:30, T & Th; 10:00–5:00, F & Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-caption decoder; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's story hour in American Sign Language; children's summer reading program; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Mideastern Michigan Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
G-4195 West Pasadena Avenue
Flint, MI 48504

Telephone: (810) 732-1120
FAX: (810) 732-1715
Librarian: Ms. Patricia Peterson
Hours: 9:00–8:00, M–Th; 9:00–5:00, F & Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; reading machine
Special services: Children's summer reading program

Kent County Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
775 Ball Avenue NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49503-1307

Telephone: (616) 336-3262
TDD: (616) 336-3262
FAX: (616) 336-3256
Librarian: Ms. Linda Hilton
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Compact-disc player
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter

Upper Peninsula Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
1615 Presque Isle Avenue
Marquette, MI 49855

Telephone: (906) 228-7697
In-WATS: 800-562-8985
FAX: (906) 228-5627
Librarian: Ms. Suzanne Dees
Hours: 8:45–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Cassette, disc, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: braille embosser; braille writer; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing
Publications: Patron newsletter

Muskegon County Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
635 Ottawa Street
Muskegon, MI 49442

Telephone: (616) 724-6257
TDD: (616) 722-4103
FAX: (616) 724-6675
Librarian: Miss Linda G. Clapp
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Braille, cassette, disc, large print
Special collections: Children's print/braille books; music cassettes
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; magnifier; reading machine
Special services: Braille transcribing; delivery of machines and equipment; demonstration products collection; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Catalog of large print materials; patron newsletter

Blue Water Library Federation
Blind and Physically Handicapped Library
210 McMorran Boulevard
Port Huron, MI 48060

Telephone: (313) 982-3600
FAX: (313) 987-7327
Librarian: Mr. Bryon Sitler
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Cassette, disc, large print
Special collections: Reference materials, films, and videotapes on blindness and physical handicaps
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine
Special services: Book discussion group; braille embosser; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device
Publications: Patron newsletter

Grand Traverse Area Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
322 Sixth Street
Traverse City, MI 49684

Telephone: (616) 922-4824
TDD: (616) 922-4843
FAX: (616) 922-4836
Librarian: Mrs. Carol Hubbell
Hours: 9:00–5:30, T–Sat
Book collection: Cassette, disc
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV
Special services: Braille transcribing; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Catalog of locally produced materials

Michigan Wayne County Only

Regional Library

Wayne County Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped *
33030 Van Born Road
Wayne, MI 48184

Telephone: (313) 274-2600
TDD: (313) 274-2600
FAX: (313) 326-3008
Serves: Wayne County, Michigan
Librarian: Ms. Pat Klemans
Machine agency: Ms. Pat Klemans
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Cassette, disc, large print. Braille readers receive service from Lansing, Michigan
Special collections: Children's books in large print; descriptive video, foreign-language books; local and regional subjects and authors; reference materials, films, video
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; Eschenbach optic test kits; reading machine; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of commercially produced cassettes; catalog of large-print books

Subregional Library

Downtown Detroit Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
121 Gratiot Avenue
Detroit, MI 48226

Telephone: (313) 224-0580
TDD: (313) 224-0584
FAX: (313) 965-1977
Librarian: Ms. Joan Gartland
Hours: 9:30–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Cassette, disc, large print
Special collections: Braille, children's books; descriptive videos; reference materials, films, videos; reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; textbooks
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device; thermoform duplicator
Special services: Book discussion group; braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

Minnesota

Regional Library

Minnesota Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped #
Academy for the Blind
P O. Box 68, Highway 298
Faribault, MN 55021

Telephone: (507) 332-3279
In-WATS: 800-722-0550
FAX: (507) 332-3631
Serves: Minnesota
Librarian: Ms. Nancy Walton
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; foreign-language books on cassette
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's story hour; children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter

Machine-Lending Agency

Special Library and Transcription Services
Communication Center
State Services for the Blind
2200 University Avenue West, Suite 240
St. Paul, MN 55114-1480

Telephone: (612) 642-0513
In-WATS: 800-652-9000
FAX: (612) 642-0473
Attention: Ms. Ellie Sevdy (acting)

Mississippi

Regional Library

Mississippi Library Commission * #
Talking Book and Braille Services
5455 Executive Place
Jackson, MS 39206

Telephone: (601) 354-7208
In-WATS: 800-446-0892
TDD: (601) 354-6411
FAX: (601) 354-6077 [call (601) 354-7208 before transmitting]
Serves: Mississippi
Librarian: Ms. Rahye Puckett
Machine agency: Ms. Rahye Puckett
Hours: 7:30–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; hard-copy large-print device
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette books and magazine
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Missouri

Regional Library

Wolfner Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
P.O. Box 387
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0387
Bulk mail: **600 West Main,**
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Telephone: (314) 751-8720
In-WATS: 800-392-2614
TDD: 800-347-1379
FAX: (314) 526-2985
Serves: Missouri
Librarian: Ms. Elizabeth Eckles
Machine agency Ms. Elizabeth Eckles
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; reading machine; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazine
Publications: Patron newsletter

Montana

Regional Library

Montana Talking Book Library *
1515 East Sixth Avenue
Helena, MT 59620

Telephone: (406) 444-2064
In-WATS: 800-332-3400
TDD: (406) 444-5431
FAX: (406) 444-5612
Serves: Montana
Librarian: Ms. Sandra Jarvie
Machine agency: Ms. Alberta Blanton
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Nebraska

Regional Library

Nebraska Library Commission *
Talking Book and Braille Service
The Atrium
1200 N Street, Suite 120
Lincoln, NE 68508-2023

Telephone: (402) 471-4038
In-WATS: 800-742-7691
TDD: (402) 471-2014
FAX: (402) 471-6244
Internet: doertli@neon.nlc.state.ne.us
Serves: Nebraska
Librarian: Mr. David Oertli
Machine agency: Mr. Paul Jacobsen
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; braille (limited); children's books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Nevada

Regional Library

Nevada State Library and Archives *
Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Capitol Complex
Carson City, NV 89710

Telephone: (702) 687-5154
In-WATS: 800-922-9334
TDD: (702) 687-8338
FAX: (702) 687-8330
Serves: Nevada
Librarian: Mrs. Kerin E. Putnam
Machine agency: Mrs. Kerin E. Putnam
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; compact-disc player; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Library

Las Vegas-Clark County Library
Talking Book Program
1401 East Flamingo Road
Las Vegas, NV 89119

Telephone: (702) 733-1925
Librarian: Mrs. Ann Langevin
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special services: Radio reading service

New Hampshire

Regional Library

New Hampshire State Library *
Library Services to Persons with Disabilities
117 Pleasant Street
Concord, NH 03301-3852

Telephone: (603) 271-3429
In-WATS: 800-491-4200
Serves: New Hampshire
Librarian: Ms. Eileen Keim
Machine agency: Ms. Eileen Keim
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Massachusetts.
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; hard-copy large-print device; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Publications: Patron newsletter

New Jersey

Regional Library

New Jersey Library for the Blind and Handicapped * #
2300 Stuyvesant Avenue
CN 501
Trenton, NJ 08625-0501

Telephone: (609) 292-6450
In-WATS: 800-792-8322 (English) and 800-582-5945 (Spanish)
TDD: (609) 633-7250
FAX: (609) 530-6384
Serves: New Jersey
Librarian: Ms. Vianne Connor (acting)
Machine agency: Ms. Christine Lisiecki
Hours: 9:00–4:30, M–F; 9:00–3:00, Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Print reference collection; local subjects and authors; children's books; descriptive videos
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

New Mexico

Regional Library

New Mexico State Library *
Talking Book Library
325 Don Gaspar
Santa Fe, NM 87503

Telephone: (505) 827-3830
In-WATS: 800-456-5515
FAX: (505) 827-3888
Serves: New Mexico
Librarian: Mr. John Brewster
Machine agency: Ms. Teresa Rodriquez
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; radio reading service; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter

New York Except New York City and Long Island

Regional Library

New York State Library for the Blind and Visually Handicapped * #
Cultural Education Center
Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12230

Telephone: (518) 474-5935
In-WATS: 800-342-3688 and 800-342-3111
TDD: (518) 474-7121
FAX: (518) 474-5786
Internet: david@vmsi.nysed.gov
Serves: New York State except New York City and Long Island
Librarian: Ms. Jane Somers
Machine agency: Ms. Jane Somers
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; paperless braille device; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

New York New York City and Long Island

Regional Library

Andrew Heiskell Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
The New York Public Library
40 West 20th Street
New York, NY 10011-4211

Telephone: (212) 206-5400
TDD: (212) 206-5458
FAX: (212) 206-5418
Serves: New York City and Long Island
Librarian: Mr. Louis Berkel
Machine agency: Mr. Louis Berkel
Hours: 11:00–4:00, M; 1:00–5:00, T & Sat; 1:00–6:00, Th
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Children's books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Children's story hour; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Subregional Libraries

Talking Books Plus
Outreach Services
Suffolk Cooperative Library System
627 North Sunrise Service Road
Bellport, NY 11713

Telephone: (516) 286-1600; (516) 286-4685 (answering service)
TDD: (516) 286-4546
FAX: (516) 286-1647
Internet: julie@scls.org
Librarian: Ms. Julie Klauber
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors; braille
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging hardware; speech output device
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Talking Books
Nassau Library System
900 Jerusalem Avenue
Uniondale, NY 11553

Telephone: (516) 292-8920
TDD: (516) 579-8585
FAX: (516) 481-4777
Internet: .nlsplsl@transit.nyser.net or .nlspls2@transit.nyser.net
Librarian: Ms. Dorothy Puryear (acting)
Hours: 8:30–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos, children's books
Assistive devices: Closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Book discussion group; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

North Carolina

Regional Library

North Carolina Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
State Library of North Carolina * #
Department of Cultural Resources
1811 Capital Boulevard
Raleigh, NC 27635

Telephone: (919) 733-4376
In-WATS: 800-662-7726 (North Carolina only)
TDD: (919) 733-1462
FAX: (919) 733-6910
Internet: s/ss.chf@ncdcr.ncdcr.gov
Serves: North Carolina, braille readers in South Carolina
Librarian: Mr. Charles H. Fox
Machine agency: Mr. Charles H. Fox
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; descriptive videos; films, videos; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

North Dakota

Eligible readers of North Dakota receive library service from the regional library in Pierre, South Dakota

Machine-Lending Agency

North Dakota School for the Blind
Attn: Betty Bender
500 Stanford Road
Grand Forks, ND 58203

Telephone: (701) 795-3876
Attention: Ms. Betty Bender

Ohio Southern Ohio

Regional Library

The Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County #
Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
800 Vine Street, Library Square
Cincinnati, OH 45202-2071

Telephone: (513) 369-6074
In-WATS: 800-582-0335
TDD: (513) 369-6072
Serves: Ohio south of Columbus
Librarian: Ms. Donna Foust
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos, local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; reading machine; speech output device
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Ohio Northern Ohio

Regional Library

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped #
Cleveland Public Library
17121 Lake Shore Boulevard
Cleveland, OH 44110-4406

Telephone: (216) 623-2911
In-WATS: 800-362-1262
TDD: (216) 623-7116
FAX: (216) 623-7036
Serves: 55 northern counties of Ohio
Librarian: Ms. Barbara T. Mates
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Local subjects and authors; children's books; books on compact disc
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging hardware; speech output device
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Machine-Lending Agency

The State Library of Ohio
Talking Book Program
65 South Front Street
Columbus, OH 43266-0334
Bulk mail: **65 South Front Street**
Columbus, OH 43266-0335

Telephone: (614) 644-6895
In-WATS: 800-686-1531
FAX: (614) 466-3584
Attention: Ms. Judith Bow

Oklahoma

Regional Library

Oklahoma Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
300 NE 18th Street
Oklahoma City, OK 73105

Telephone: (405) 521-3514 and (405) 521-3833
In-WATS: 800-523-0288
TDD: (405) 521-4672
FAX: (405) 521-4582
Serves: Oklahoma
Librarian: Ms. Geraldine Adams
Machine agency: Mr. Paul Adams
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; books on compact-disc
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc players; hard-copy large-print device; screen-enlarging software; speech-output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Subregional Library

Tulsa City-County Library System
Special Services
1520 North Hartford
Tulsa, OK 74106

Telephone: (918) 596-7920 and (918) 596-7922
TDD: (918) 596-7922
FAX: (918) 596-7283
Librarian: Ms. Mary G. Campbell
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV
Special services: Volunteer-produced books

Oregon

Regional Library

Oregon State Library
Talking Book and Braille Services * #
State Library Building
Salem, OR 97310-0645

Telephone: (503) 378-3849 and (503) 224-0610 (Portland only; toll free)
In-WATS: 800-452-0292 (except Portland)
TDD: (503) 378-3849 and 800-452-0292
FAX: (503) 588-7119
Serves: Oregon
Librarian: Ms. Nancy Stewart
Machine agency: Ms. Mary Mohr
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local authors and subjects
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; paperless braille device; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Pennsylvania Eastern Pennsylvania

Regional Library

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
Free Library of Philadelphia
919 Walnut Street
Philadelphia, PA 19107

Telephone: (215) 925-3213
In-WATS: 800-222-1754
FAX: (215) 928-0856
Serves: Bradford, Lycoming, Northumberland, Juniata, Perry, Cumberland, York counties and all counties east; braille readers in all of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, and Delaware
Librarian: Ms. Vickie Lange Collins
Machine agency: Mr. Richard A. Riddell
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's print/braille and braille books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; Optacon; paperless braille device; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech-output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; radio reading service; volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

Pennsylvania Western Pennsylvania

Regional Library

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped *
The Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh
The Leonard C. Staisey Building
4724 Baum Boulevard
Pittsburgh, PA 15213-1389

Telephone: (412) 687-2440
In-WATS: 800-242-0586
FAX: (412) 687-2442
Internet: murdocks@clp2.clpgh.org
Serves: Western Pennsylvania
Librarian: Mrs. Sue O. Murdock
Machine agency: Mr. Henry Picciafoco
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter

Puerto Rico

Regional Library

Puerto Rico Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped * #
520 Ponce de Leon Avenue
San Juan, PR 00901

Telephone: (809) 723-2519
In-WATS: 800-462-8008
FAX: (809) 754-0843
Serves: Puerto Rico
Librarian: Ms Igri Enriquez
Machine agency: Ms. Igri Enriquez
Hours: 7:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille
Special collections: Spanish-language books; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; paperless braille device
Special services: Book discussion group; braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Rhode Island

Regional Library

Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped *
Rhode Island Department of State Library Services
300 Richmond Street
Providence, RI 02903-4222

Telephone: (401) 277-2726
In-WATS: 800-734-5141
TDD: (401) 277-2726
FAX: (401) 351-1131
Internet: bethpy@dsl.rhilinet.gov
Serves: Rhode Island
Librarian: Ms. Beth Perry
Machine agency: Mr. Kenneth Marold
Hours: 8:30–4:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette.
Braille readers receive service from Massachusetts.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; French and Italian-language books on cassette; textbooks; children's print/cassette books; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Publications: Patron newsletter

South Carolina

Regional Library

South Carolina State Library *
Department for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
301 Gervais Street
P.O. Box 821
Columbia, SC 29202-0821

Telephone: (803) 737-9970
In-WATS: 800-922-7818
FAX: (803) 737-9983 or
(803) 734-8676
Internet: south@class.org
Serves: South Carolina
Librarian: Ms. Guynell Williams
Machine agency: Ms. Guynell Williams
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print.
Braille readers receive service from North Carolina.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Hard-copy large-print device; speech output device
Special services: Radio reading service; volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

South Dakota

Regional Library

South Dakota Braille and Talking Book Library *
State Library Building
800 Governors Drive
Pierre, SD 57501-2294

Telephone: (605) 773-3514 (South Dakota); (701) 781-2604 (North Dakota)
In-WATS: 800-423-6665 (South Dakota)
TDD: (605) 773-4194
FAX: (605) 773-4950
Serves: North and South Dakota
Librarian: Mr. Daniel W. Boyd
Machine agency: Mr. Doyle Johnson
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Utah.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; Lakota Indian-language books on cassette; local subjects and authors; textbooks; children's print/braille books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; magnifier; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

Tennessee

Regional Library

Tennessee Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Tennessee State Library and Archives * #
403 Seventh Avenue North
Nashville, TN 37243-0313

Telephone: (615) 741-3915
In-WATS: 800-342-3308
TDD: 800-342-3262
Serves: Tennessee
Librarian: Miss Francis H. Ezell
Machine agency: Miss Francis H. Ezell
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine
Special services: Children's summer reading program; radio reading service
Publications: Subject bibliographies

Texas

Regional Library

Texas State Library
Talking Book Program * #
P.O. Box 12927
Austin, TX 78711
Bulk mail: **4400 B Shoal Creek Boulevard**
Austin, TX 78756

Telephone: (512) 463-5458
In-WATS: 800-252-9605
TDD: (512) 463-5449
FAX: (512) 463-5436
Serves: Texas
Librarian: Mr. Dale Propp
Machine agency: Ms. Marie Deckard
Hours: 7:30–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; Spanish-language books on cassette; local subjects and authors; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; Optacon; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device; thermoform duplicator
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

Utah

Regional Library

Utah State Library Division * #
Program for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
2150 South 300 West Suite #16
Salt Lake City, UT 84115

Telephone: (801) 466-6363
In-WATS: 800-662-5540 (Utah); 800-453-4293 (western states)
FAX: (801) 533-4657
Serves: Utah and Wyoming; braille readers in Alaska, Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, and South Dakota
Librarian: Mr. Gerald A. Buttars
Machine agency: Mr. Gerald A. Buttars
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; textbooks; books on computer diskette; encyclopedia on compact-disc
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; reading machine
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials

Vermont

Regional Library

Vermont Department of Libraries *
Special Services Unit
RD #4, Box 1870
Montpelier, VT 05602

Telephone: (802) 828-3273
In-WATS: 800-479-1711
FAX: (802) 828-2199
Serves: Vermont
Librarian: Mr. S. Francis Woods
Machine agency: Ms. Jennifer Hart
Hours: 7:45–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Massachusetts.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's print/braille books
Special services: Volunteer-produced magazine
Publications: Catalog of large print materials

Virgin Islands

Regional Library

Virgin Islands Library for the Visually and Physically Handicapped *
3012 Golden Rock
Christiansted, St. Croix, VI 00820

Telephone: (809) 772-2250
FAX: (809) 773-5327
Serves: U.S. Virgin Islands
Librarian: Ms. Dorothy Bronstein
Machine agency: Ms. Dorothy Bronstein
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits

Virginia

Regional Library

Virginia State Library for the Visually and Physically Handicapped * #
395 Azalea Avenue
Richmond, VA 23227-3623

Telephone: (804) 371-3661
In-WATS: 800-552-7015
TDD: (804) 371-3661 or 800-552-7015
FAX: (804) 371-3639
Serves: Virginia
Librarian: Ms. Mary Ruth Halapatz
Machine agency: Ms. Mary Ruth Halapatz
Hours: 8:15–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; descriptive videos; local subjects and authors
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Volunteer-produced cassette books and magazines
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Libraries

Access Services
Fairfax County Public Library
2501 Sherwood Hall Lane
Alexandria, VA 22306

Telephone: (703) 660-6943
TDD: (703) 660-8524
FAX: (703) 768-6909
Librarian: Ms. Jeanette A. Studley
Hours: 10:00–9:00, M & W; 10:00–6:00, T, Th, F; 10:00–5:00, Sat
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-caption decoder; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; paperless braille device; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; delivery of machines and equipment; home visit; volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter

Alexandria Library
Talking Book Service
826 Slaters Lane
Alexandria, VA 22314

Telephone: (703) 838-4298
TDD: (703) 838-4568
FAX: (703) 838-4614
Librarian: Mrs. Patricia O. Bates
Hours: 9:00–4:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors; children's books; descriptive videos
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; closed-circuit TV; magnifier
Special services: Braille transcribing; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer-produced cassette books
Publications: Patron newsletter, subject bibliographies

Talking Book Service
Arlington County Department of Libraries
1015 North Quincy Street
Arlington, VA 22201

Telephone: (703) 358-6333
TDD: (703) 358-6320
FAX: (703) 358-5962
Librarian: Ms. Roxanne Barnes
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; magnifier; reading machine
Publications: Patron newsletter

Fredericksburg Area Subregional Library
Central Rappahannock Regional Library
1201 Caroline Street
Fredericksburg, VA 22401

Telephone: (703) 372-1144
In-WATS: 800-628-4807
TDD: (703) 372-1144
FAX: (703) 373-9411
Internet: nschiff@leo.vsla.edu
Librarian: Ms. Nancy Schiff
Hours: 9:00–5:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; descriptive videos
Assistive devices: Hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

Hampton Subregional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
4207 Victoria Boulevard
Hampton, VA 23669

Telephone: (804) 727-1900
TDD: (804) 727-1900
FAX: (804) 727-1152
Librarian: Ms. Mary Sue Newman
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; braille; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; reading machine; speech output device
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Newport News Public Library System
10832 Warwick Boulevard
Newport News, VA 23601

Telephone: (804) 591-4855 and (804) 886-7999
TDD: (804) 591-4855
FAX: (804) 591-4860
Librarian: Ms. Julie M. Hewin
Hours: 9:00–9:00, M–Th; 9:00–6:00, F & Sat; 1:00–5:00, S (September–May only)
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier
Special services: Children's summer reading program
Publications: Patron newsletter

Roanoke City Public Library
Outreach Services
Melrose-Outreach Branch
2607 Salem Turnpike, Northwest
Roanoke, VA 24017

Telephone: (703) 981-2648
FAX: (703) 224-3030
Librarian: Mrs. Rebecca Cooper
Hours: 9:00–6:00, M–W & F; 12:00–9:00, Th
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Braille
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment
Publication: Patron newsletter

Talking Book Center
Staunton Public Library
19 South Market Street
Staunton, VA 24401

Telephone: (703) 885-6215
In-WATS: 800-995-6215
FAX: (703) 332-3906
Librarian: Mr. Oakley Pearson
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; descriptive videos
Assistive devices: Hard-copy large-print device
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits; volunteer services
Publications: Patron newsletter; subject bibliographies

Special Services Library
Virginia Beach Public Library
930 Independence Boulevard
Virginia Beach, VA 23455

Telephone: (804) 464-9175
TDD (804) 464-9175
FAX: (804) 464-6741
Librarian: Ms. Susan Head
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books; books on compact-disc
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; Optacon; paperless braille device; reading machine
Special services: Braille transcribing
Publications: Patron newsletter

Washington

Regional Library

Washington Talking Book and Braille Library * #
821 Lenora Street
Seattle, WA 98121-2783

Telephone: (206) 464-6930
In-WATS: 800-542-0866
TDD: (206) 464-6930
FAX: (206) 464-0247
Internet: wtbbl@spl.lib.wa.us
Serves: Washington
Librarian: Ms. Jan Ames
Machine agency: Ms. Phyllis Cairns
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books; local subjects and authors; textbooks
Assistive devices: Braille embosser; braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; paperless braille device; online public access catalog; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device; text-to-speech software
Special services: Braille transcribing; children's summer reading program; radio reading service; volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; volunteer newsletter; outreach bulletin

West Virginia

Regional Library

West Virginia Library Commission * Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Cultural Center
1900 Kanawha Boulevard
Charleston, WV 25305

Telephone: (304) 558-4061
In-WATS: 800-642-8674
FAX: (304) 558-2533
Serves: West Virginia
Librarian: Ms. Donna Calvert
Machine agency: Mr. Quincy Adams
Hours: 8:45–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print. Braille readers receive service from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; local subjects and authors
Special services: Radio reading service; volunteer-produced cassettes
Publications: Patron newsletter

Subregional Libraries

Services for Blind and Physically Handicapped
Kanawha County Public Library
123 Capitol Street
Charleston, WV 25301

Telephone: (304) 343-4646, ext. 64
TDD: (304) 343-4646
FAX: (304) 348-6530
Librarian: Ms. Mary Penn
Hours: 8:00–4:30, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, large print
Special services: Radio reading service

Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
Cabell County Public Library
455 Ninth Street Plaza
Huntington, WV 25701

Telephone: (304) 523-9451
TDD: (304) 523-9451
FAX: (304) 522-4721
Librarian: Ms. Suzanne L. Coldiron
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; descriptive videos
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software
Special services: Radio reading service; volunteer services

Parkersburg and Wood County Public Library
Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
3100 Emerson Avenue
Parkersburg, WV 26104-2414

Telephone: (304) 485-6564
In-WATS: 800-642-8674
FAX: (304) 485-6580
Librarian: Mr. Michael Hickman
Hours: 10:00–5:00, M–Th; 10:00–6:00, F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Assistive devices: Magnifier
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits
Publications: Patron newsletter

West Virginia School for the Blind Library #
301 East Main Street
Romney, WV 26757

Telephone: (304) 822-4894
FAX: (304) 822-3370
Librarian: Ms. Cynthia S. Johnson
Hours: 8:00–8:30, M–Th; 8:00–5:00, F
Book collection: Disc, cassette, braille, large print
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; children's books
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player, hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; screen-enlarging software; speech output device
Special services: Delivery of machines and equipment; home visits

Ohio County Public Library
Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
52 16th Street
Wheeling, WV 26003-3696

Telephone: (304) 232-0244
FAX: (304) 232-6848
Librarian: Ms. Eleanor Gibson
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette
Special collections: Reference materials on blindness and other handicaps
Publications: Patron newsletter

Wisconsin

Regional Library

Wisconsin Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped *
813 West Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53233-1436

Telephone: (414) 286-3045
In-WATS: 800-242-8822
TDD: (414) 286-3548
FAX: (414) 286-2137
Serves: Wisconsin
Librarian: Ms. Marsha Valance
Machine agency: Ms. Marsha Valance
Hours: 8:15–4:45, M–F
Book collection: Disc, cassette. Braille readers receive service from Illinois.
Special collections: Braille (limited); reference materials on blindness and other handicaps; films, videos; local subjects and authors; children's print/braille books; descriptive videos
Assistive devices: Braille writer; closed-circuit TV; compact-disc player; hard-copy large-print device; magnifier; reading machine; speech output device
Special services: Children's summer reading program; volunteer-produced books
Publications: Patron newsletter; catalog of locally produced materials; subject bibliographies

Wyoming

Eligible readers of Wyoming receive library service from the regional library in Salt Lake City, Utah

Machine-Lending Agency

State Department of Education
Services for Visually Handicapped
Hathaway Building, Room 144
Cheyenne, WY 82002

Telephone: (307) 777-7274
Attention: Mr. Kent Jensen

Other Library Resources

Books Aloud, Inc.
P.O. Box 5731
San Jose, CA 95150-5731

Telephone: (408) 277-4839; 277-4878
FAX: (408) 277-4818
Contact person: Donna Coleman, Executive Director
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F (taped message after hours)
Eligibility: Visual, physical, and learning disabilities; doctor's certificate required
Book collection: Cassette
Subjects: General interest, including foreign languages
Reading levels: Adults and children
Distribution policy: Free, monthly, revolving loan
Catalog available: In regular print; free on request; quarterly newsletter announces new titles

Bower Hill Braillists Foundation
70 Moffett Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15243-1924

Telephone: (412) 833-3139
Contact person: Mary P. George
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Eligibility: Need for braille or large-print materials
Book collection: Braille, large print
Subjects: General interest, textbooks
Reading levels: Adults and children
Distribution policy: Free loan, charge for materials used (need not be returned)
Catalog available: In regular print, braille; free on request

Braille Association of Kansas, Inc.
P.O. Box 17032
Wichita, KS 67217

Telephone: (316) 265-6504
Contact person: Mrs. Mary Ann Oblinger
Hours: 9:00–12:00, M–F
Eligibility: Need for print material to be transcribed or recorded
Book collection: Braille, cassette
Subjects: General interest; textbooks; cookbooks/hobbies
Reading levels: Adults and children
Distribution policy: Charge for materials used (need not be returned)

Christian Record Services, Inc.
4444 South 52nd Street, P.O. Box 6097
Lincoln, NE 68516

Telephone: (402) 488-0981
TDD: (402) 488-1902
FAX: (402) 488-7582
Contact: Richard Kaiser, Director of Special Services
Hours: 7:30–5:30, M–Th
Eligibility: Legal blindness and physical disabilities that prevent reading standard print
Book collection: Braille, cassette, Full-vision Books (print/braille) for children
Subjects: General interest with religious orientation (interdenominational)
Reading levels: Adult, young adult, and children
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: In large print; on 30-day loan

Other Library Resources

Educational Tape Recording for the Blind
3915 West 103rd Street
Chicago, IL 60655

Telephone: (312) 445-3533
Contact person: Mrs. Vivette R. Rifkin
Hours: 9:00–4:00, M-F; 9:00–1:00, Sat
Eligibility: Visual, physical, and mental disabilities
Book collection: Cassette
Subjects: Textbooks and other assigned material
Reading levels: Students at all levels
Distribution policy: On loan for a $35 annual fee
Catalog available: In regular print; issued yearly; free to registered borrowers, $5 for others

Horizons for the Blind, Inc.
16A Meadowdale Shopping Center
Carpentersville, IL 60110-2075

Telephone: (708) 836-1400
FAX: (708) 836-1443
In-WATS: 800-318-2000
Contact person: Camille Caffarelli
Hours: 8:30–4:30, M–F
Eligibility: Legal blindness
Book collection: Braille, cassette, large print
Subjects: Arts, crafts, sciences, recreation
Reading levels: Adults and children
Distribution policy: On loan for a $10 annual fee or for purchase
Catalog available: In large print, braille; issued irregularly; $2

Jewish Braille Institute of America, Inc.
110 East 30th Street
New York, NY 10016

Telephone: (212) 889-2525
FAX: (212) 689-3692
Contact person: Cantor Mindy J. Fliegelman
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Eligibility: Inability to read standard print
Book collection: Braille, cassette, large print
Subjects: Judaica, Jewish interest
Reading levels: Adults and children
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: Free on request (indicate interest areas and media)

JGB Cassette Library International
(Jewish Guild for the Blind)
15 West 65th Street
New York, NY 10023

Telephone: (212) 769-6331
FAX: (212) 769-6266
In-WATS: 800-284-4422
Contact person: Bruce E. Massis
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Eligibility: Inability to read standard print
Book collection: Cassette
Subjects: General interest
Reading levels: Adult
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: In large print, cassette; issued quarterly; free on request

Johanna Bureau for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Inc.
8 South Michigan Avenue
Chicago, IL 60603-3305

Telephone: (312) 332-6076
FAX: (312) 332-0780
Contact person: Mrs. Edith Weiner
Hours: 9:00–3:00, M–F
Eligibility: Visual and physical disabilities
Book collection: Braille, cassette or open-reel tape
Subjects: General interest; textbooks, including mathematics texts; professional/vocational
Reading levels: Adults and children
Distribution policy: Charge for braille, 11¢ per page; charge for C-90 cassette, $1.40 or tape exchange
Catalog available: Braille catalog in standard print; free on request

Kings Tape Library for the Blind
202 West Grangeville Boulevard
Hanford, CA 93230-2951

Telephone: (209) 582-4843
Contact person: Mrs. Caroline W. Mackey, Director
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Eligibility: Signed statement of disability
Book collection: Cassette
Subjects: General interest
Reading levels: Adult level only
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: In cassette, large print; issued biannually; free on request

Martha Arney Library for the Blind
3911 Hayes Street NE
Minneapolis, MN 55421

Telephone: (612) 788-0508
Contact person: Martha Arney or Merlin Arney, Director
Hours: 8:00–5:00, M–F
Eligibility: Visual or physical disability
Book collection: Cassette, large print
Subjects: General interest; non-denominational Christian fiction and non-fiction
Reading levels: Adults
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: Recorded catalogs are on loan for a four-week period.

National Association for Visually Handicapped
22 West 21st Street
New York, NY 10010 *

Telephone: (212) 889-3141
FAX: (212) 727-2931
Contact person: Mrs. Lorraine H. Marchi
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F
Eligibility: Partially sighted
Book collection: Large print
Subjects: General interest
Reading levels: Adults and children
Distribution policy: Free loan; donations of $5-$7 for titles published by NAVH
Catalog available: In large print; issued annually; free on request (indicate adult or child)

*Residents of western states, including Alaska and Hawaii, should contact:

National Association for Visually Handicapped
3201 Balboa Street
San Francisco, CA 94121

Telephone: (415) 221-3201
FAX: (415) 221-8753

Other Library Resources

National Braille Association, Inc.
3 Townline Circle
Rochester, NY 14623-2513

Telephone: (716) 427-8260
FAX: (716) 427-0263
Contact person: Ms. Patricia Stoudt
Hours: 8:30–5:00, M–F
Eligibility: Need for braille reading materials
Book collection: Braille, computer diskette
Subjects: General interest; cookbooks/hobbies; professional/vocational; music; technical tables; textbooks
Reading levels: Adult
Distribution policy: Charge for materials used (need not be returned)
Catalog available: In regular print, cassette; textbook catalog, general interest catalog, music catalog, free on request; and technical tables catalog (print only), free on request

Readings for the Blind, Inc.
29451 Greenfield Road, Suite 216
Southfield, MI 48076-2294

Telephone: (810) 557-7776
Contact person: Ms. Emily McSweeney
Hours: 9:00–3:00, M–W; 9:00–12:00, Th
Eligibility: Inability to read standard print
Book collection: Cassette or open-reel tape
Subjects: General interest; textbooks; professional/vocational
Reading levels: Adults and children
Distribution policy: Free loan; tapes exchanged; charge for materials used
Catalog available: In regular print; issued annually; free on request

Recording for the Blind
20 Roszel Road
Princeton, NJ 08540

Telephone: (609) 452-0606
FAX: (609) 987-8116
In-WATS: 800-221-4792. Use for book orders and inquiries, M-F
Contact person: Customer Services
Hours: 9:00–9:00, M–F (taped messages after hours)
Eligibility: Any person with a documented print disability; blindness, low vision, learning disabilities, or other impairments that affect reading; completed application form must be submitted with a one-time registration fee of $37.50
Book collection: Cassette, computer diskette
Subjects: Educational, professional, vocational, and general interest
Reading levels: Adults and children (4th grade and above)
Distribution policy: Audio books on cassette free on loan for 1 year; computerized books on diskette available for purchase (price varies)
Catalog available: Print catalog: Volumes 1 and 2, with 1985-90 supplement, $20; quarterly recorded or computerized diskette catalog, $16/year.

Seedlings Braille Books for Children
P.O. Box 2395
Livonia, MI 48151-0395

Telephone: (313) 427-8552
FAX: (313) 427-8552
In-WATS: 800-777-8552
Contact person: Debra J. Bonde, Director
Hours: 9:00–5:00, M–F (answering machine and fax available at all times)
Eligibility: Need for braille
Book collection: Braille, print/braille
Subjects: General interest
Reading levels: Children (preschool through 8th grade)
Distribution policy: Charge for materials used (need not be returned)
Catalog available: In braille, regular print; free on request; issued annually

Taped Ministries NW
(Formerly John Knox Taped Library)
20419 1st Avenue South
Seattle, WA 98198

Telephone: (206) 878-2425
Contact person: Bonnie Heutink, Director
Hours: 9:00–3:00, M–F
Eligibility: Blind, visually impaired, physically and developmentally disabled; disability form signed by competent authority required.
Book collection: Cassette
Subjects: General interest with Christian orientation
Reading levels: Adult and children
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: In large print, cassette; issued annually

The Volunteers of Vacaville
P.O. Box 670
Vacaville, CA 95696-0670

Telephone: (707) 448-6841, ext. 2044
Contact person: Trishelle Finley
Hours: 7:30–2:30, M–F
Eligibility: Inability to read standard print (visual or physical disabilities)
Book collection: Cassette
Subjects: General interest; cookbooks/hobbies; professional/vocational; textbooks
Reading levels: Adults and children
Distribution policy: On loan for a nominal fee
Catalog available: On cassette; issued biannually

Xavier Society for the Blind
154 East 23rd Street
New York, NY 10010

Telephone: (212) 473-7800
FAX: (212) 473-7801
Contact person: Librarian
Hours: 9:00–4:45, M–F
Eligibility: Legal blindness or physical disability
Book collection: Braille, cassette, large print
Subjects: Religious and inspirational; religion textbooks (Roman Catholic)
Reading levels: Adults and children
Distribution policy: Free loan
Catalog available: In braille, large print, and cassette; issued irregularly; free on request

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Montgomery, ALABAMA												
Individuals	1,579	14,000	8.9	204	4,800	23.5	4,619	166,500	36.0	6,402	185,300	28.9
Deposit Collections	46	300	6.5	21	300	14.3	152	3,000	19.7	219	3,600	16.4
Dir. Circ. Mags.		39,600			5,000			6,600			51,200	
Interlibrary Loan		300			100			1,300			1,700	
Total		54,200			10,200			177,400			241,800	
Anchorage, ALASKA												
Individuals	185	100	0.5				734	22,300	30.4	919	22,400	24.4
Deposit Collections	22	100	4.5				97	3,100	32.0	119	3,200	26.9
Dir. Circ. Mags.		5,000			Served			600			5,600	
Interlibrary Loan		—			by			—			—	
Total		5,200			Utah			26,000			31,200	
Phoenix, ARIZONA												
Individuals	2,296	8,600	3.7				10,350	391,400	37.8	12,646	400,000	31.6
Deposit Collections	261	100	0.4		Served		827	5,600	6.8	1,088	5,700	5.2
Dir. Circ. Mags.		53,500			by			8,400			61,900	
Interlibrary Loan		—			Los Angeles, California			700			700	
Total		62,200			and Utah			406,100			468,300	
Little Rock, ARKANSAS												
Individuals	1,263	10,900	8.6	138	3,100	22.5	4,196	164,400	39.2	5,597	178,400	31.9
Deposit Collections	102	1,000	9.8	8	100	12.5	198	6,300	31.8	308	7,400	24.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.		27,300			3,200			3,500			34,000	
Interlibrary Loan		100			20			300			420	
Total		39,300			6,420			174,500			220,220	

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Los Angeles, CALIFORNIA												
Southern California												
Individuals	4,981	31,100	6.2	777	12,400	16.0	15,641	636,800	40.7	21,399	680,300	31.8
Deposit Collections	254	2,000	7.9	64	1,100	17.2	896	67,600	75.4	1,214	70,700	58.2
Dir. Circ. Mags.		150,000			18,100			15,100			183,200	
Interlibrary Loan		—			40			20			60	
Total		183,100			31,640			719,520			934,260	
Arizona												
Individuals					1,400	—	17	700	41.2	17	2,100	123.5
Deposit Collections		N/A		Service for part of year. See Utah.	20	—	1	50	50.0	1	70	70.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.					—			—			—	
Interlibrary Loan					—			—			—	
Total					1,420			750			2,170	
Total—Los Angeles, CA												
Individuals	4,981	31,100	6.2	777	13,800	17.8	15,658	637,500	40.7	21,416	682,400	31.9
Deposit Collections	254	2,000	7.9	64	1,120	17.5	897	67,650	75.4	1,215	70,770	58.2
Dir. Circ. Mags.		150,000			18,100			15,100			183,200	
Interlibrary Loan		—			40			20			60	
Total		183,100			33,060			720,270			936,430	
Sacramento, CALIFORNIA												
Individuals	4,606	46,900	10.2	573	10,800	18.8	15,561	657,500	42.3	20,740	715,200	34.5
Deposit Collections	208	2,000	9.6	46	700	15.2	880	27,200	30.9	1,134	29,900	26.4
Dir. Circ. Mags.		147,200			19,100			38,800			205,100	
Interlibrary Loan		100			20			1,600			1,720	
Total		196,200			30,620			725,100			951,920	

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Denver, COLORADO												
Individuals	3,820	26,700	7.0				9,048	297,900	32.9	12,868	324,600	25.2
Deposit Collections	353	200	0.6				635	9,000	14.2	988	9,200	9.3
Dir. Circ. Mags.		69,100		Served by Utah				12,500			81,600	
Interlibrary Loan		60						2,100			2,160	
Total		96,060						321,500			417,560	
Rocky Hill, CONNECTICUT												
Individuals[c]	3,815	9,900	2.6	258	3,500	13.6	6,715	193,200	28.8	10,788	206,600	19.2
Deposit Collections[c]	291	100	0.3	13	20	1.5	250	2,500	10.0	554	2,620	4.7
Dir. Circ. Mags.		28,900			4,400			4,100			37,400	
Interlibrary Loan[c]		—			—			30			30	
Total		38,900			7,920			199,830			246,650	
Dover, DELAWARE												
Individuals	388	3,400	8.8				980	59,600	60.8	1,368	63,000	46.1
Deposit Collections	19	10	0.5				42	1,400	33.3	61	1,410	23.1
Dir. Circ. Mags.		14,200		Served by Philadelphia, Pennsylvania				1,300			15,500	
Interlibrary Loan		—						—			—	
Total		17,610						62,300			79,910	
Washington, D.C.												
Individuals	1,310	5,600	4.3	60	600	10.0	1,950	44,200	22.7	3,320	50,400	15.2
Deposit Collections	10	1,000	100.0	3	—	0.0	30	5,400	180.0	43	6,400	148.8
Dir. Circ. Mags.		24,300			2,200			500			27,000	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			1,400			1,400	
Total		30,900			2,800			51,500			85,200	

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Daytona Beach, FLORIDA												
Individuals	10,565	78,200	7.4	783	13,200	16.9	32,014	1,260,700	39.4	43,362	1,352,100	31.2
Deposit Collections	609	3,800	6.2	61	700	11.5	1,478	38,300	25.9	2,148	42,800	19.9
Dir. Circ. Mags.		181,200			11,600			20,800			213,600	
Interlibrary Loan		100			300			1,900			2,300	
Total		263,300			25,800			1,321,700			1,610,800	
Atlanta, GEORGIA												
Individuals	2,476	18,600	7.5	290	3,400	11.7	10,554	392,000	37.1	13,320	414,000	31.1
Deposit Collections	456	7,100	15.6	29	200	6.9	1,099	41,600	37.9	1,584	48,900	30.9
Dir. Circ. Mags.		50,200			6,300			20,000			76,500	
Interlibrary Loan		200			50			3,300			3,550	
Total		76,100			9,950			456,900			542,950	
Honolulu, HAWAII												
Individuals	447	3,100	6.9	94	1,300	13.8	1,005	30,300	30.1	1,546	34,700	22.4
Deposit Collections	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dir. Circ. Mags.		4,400			1,600			500			6,500	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		7,500			2,900			30,800			41,200	
Boise, IDAHO												
Individuals	389	2,000	5.1	Served by Utah			2,447	134,500	55.0	2,836	136,500	48.1
Deposit Collections	21	20	1.0				57	1,000	17.5	78	1,020	13.1
Dir. Circ. Mags.		11,200						2,400			13,600	
Interlibrary Loan		—						30			30	
Total		13,220						137,930			151,150	

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Chicago, ILLINOIS												
Individuals	3,331	19,800	5.9	624	8,100	13.0	16,140	710,600	44.0	20,095	738,500	36.8
Deposit Collections	313	1,000	3.2	42	200	4.8	1,822	36,600	20.1	2,177	37,800	17.4
Dir. Circ. Mags.		135,700			21,000			28,800			185,500	
Interlibrary Loan		6,700			10,900			101,500			119,100	
Total		163,200			40,200			877,500			1,080,900	
Wisconsin												
Individuals				173	4,500	26.0				173	4,500	26.0
Deposit Collections		N/A		7	70	10.0		N/A		7	70	10.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.					7,100						7,100	
Total					11,670						11,670	
Total—Chicago, ILLINOIS												
Individuals	3,331	19,800	5.9	797	12,600	15.8	16,140	710,600	44.0	20,268	743,000	36.7
Deposit Collections	313	1,000	3.2	49	270	5.5	1,822	36,600	20.1	2,184	37,870	17.3
Dir. Circ. Mags.		135,700			28,100			28,800			192,600	
Interlibrary Loan		6,700			10,900			101,500			119,100	
Total		163,200			51,870			877,500			1,092,570	
Indianapolis, INDIANA												
Individuals	3,662	28,500	7.8	291	6,700	23.0	8,909	353,700	39.7	12,862	388,900	30.2
Deposit Collections	370	800	2.2	20	100	5.0	699	9,900	14.2	1,089	10,800	9.9
Dir. Circ. Mags.		107,700			8,000			21,700			137,400	
Interlibrary Loan		100			70			1,800			1,970	
Total		137,100			14,870			387,100			539,070	

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Des Moines, IOWA												
Individuals	2,137	12,600	5.9	420	10,400	24.8	3,684	184,000	49.9	6,241	207,000	33.2
Deposit Collections	103	900	8.7	9	—	0.0	170	18,600	109.4	282	19,500	69.1
Dir. Circ. Mags.		58,100			4,400			7,000			69,500	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		71,600			14,800			209,600			296,000	
Emporia, KANSAS												
Individuals	1,700	18,100	10.6				5,802	260,100	44.8	7,502	278,200	37.1
Deposit Collections	255	1,500	5.9		Served		644	12,500	19.4	899	14,000	15.6
Dir. Circ. Mags.		45,700			by			6,700			52,400	
Interlibrary Loan		300			Utah			1,600			1,900	
Total		65,600						280,900			346,500	
Frankfort, KENTUCKY												
Individuals	1,669	12,800	7.7	134	2,700	20.1	4,752	206,100	43.4	6,555	221,600	33.8
Deposit Collections	138	400	2.9	12	400	33.3	382	7,600	19.9	532	8,400	15.8
Dir. Circ. Mags.		43,600			6,100			8,800			58,500	
Interlibrary Loan		200			70			1,000			1,270	
Total		57,000			9,270			223,500			289,770	
Baton Rouge, LOUISIANA												
Individuals	1,240	6,600	5.3	184	3,900	21.2	3,377	126,900	37.6	4,801	137,400	28.6
Deposit Collections	94	100	1.1	30	400	13.3	182	3,000	16.5	306	3,500	11.4
Dir. Circ. Mags.		37,800			3,600			3,200			44,600	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		44,500			7,900			133,100			185,500	

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Augusta, MAINE												
Individuals	504	2,800	5.6				2,688	124,100	46.2	3,192	126,900	39.8
Deposit Collections	—	—	—				—	—	—	—	—	—
Dir. Circ. Mags.		18,500			Served by			2,700			21,200	
Interlibrary Loan		50			Massachusetts			500			550	
Total		21,350						127,300			148,650	
Baltimore, MARYLAND												
Individuals	111	9,100	8.2	132	1,700	12.9	3,529	161,700	45.8	4,772	172,500	36.1
Deposit Collections	80	200	2.5	9	20	2.2	164	7,100	43.3	253	7,320	28.9
Dir. Circ. Mags.		43,500			8,800			8,300			60,600	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		52,800			10,520			177,100			240,420	
Watertown, MASSACHUSETTS												
Massachusetts												
Individuals	6,538	85,100	13.0	673	6,700	10.0	13,310	353,800	26.6	20,521	445,600	21.7
Deposit Collections	560	7,200	12.9	59	500	8.5	903	20,700	22.9	1,522	28,400	18.7
Dir. Circ. Mags.[d]		91,000			17,600			10,500			119,100	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		183,300			24,800			385,000			593,100	
Maine												
Individuals				65	700	10.8				65	700	10.8
Deposit Collections		N/A		2	10	5.0				2	10	5.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.					—			N/A			—	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					710						710	

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New Hampshire												
Individuals				45	300	6.7				45	300	6.7
Deposit Collections		N/A		—	—	—				—	—	—
Dir. Circ. Mags.					—			N/A			—	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					300						300	
Rhode Island												
Individuals				56	300	5.4				56	300	5.4
Deposit Collections		N/A		1	20	20.0		N/A		1	20	20.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.					—						—	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					320						320	
Vermont												
Individuals				48	500	10.4				48	500	10.4
Deposit Collections		N/A		2	13	6.5		N/A		2	13	6.5
Dir. Circ. Mags.					—						—	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					513						513	
Total—Watertown												
Individuals	6,538	85,100	13.0	887	8,500	9.6	13,310	353,800	26.6	20,735	447,400	21.6
Deposit Collection	560	7,200	12.9	64	543	8.5	903	20,700	22.9	1,527	28,443	18.6
Dir. Circ. Mags.		91,000			17,600			10,500			119,100	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		183,300			26,643			385,000			594,943	

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Lansing, MICHIGAN (Includes braille service to Wayne, MI)												
Individuals	6,375	38,900	6.1	1,021	7,600	7.4	15,217	528,500	34.7	22,613	575,000	25.4
Deposit Collections	449	900	2.0	138	900	6.5	911	12,500	13.7	1,498	14,300	9.5
Dir. Circ. Mags.		112,500			15,400			25,100			153,000	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		152,300			23,900			566,100			742,300	
Wayne, MICHIGAN												
Individuals	1,397	3,500	2.5				2,892	75,400	26.1	4,289	78,900	18.4
Deposit Collections	74	200	2.7				174	4,600	26.4	248	4,800	19.4
Dir. Circ. Mags.		52,300		Served by Lansing, Michigan				4,100			56,400	
Interlibrary Loan		200						900			1,100	
Total		56,200						85,000			141,200	
Faribault, MINNESOTA												
Individuals	2,585	12,500	4.8	491	7,600	15.5	7,423	258,900	34.9	10,499	279,000	26.6
Deposit Collections	114	400	3.5	20	400	20.0	195	5,000	25.6	329	5,800	17.6
Dir. Circ. Mags.		38,600			8,400			7,800			54,800	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			20			20	
Total		51,500			16,400			271,720			339,620	
Jackson, MISSISSIPPI												
Individuals	475	2,000	4.2	115	900	7.8	2,018	91,800	45.5	2,608	94,700	36.3
Deposit Collections	38	100	2.6	4	30	7.5	87	3,000	34.5	129	3,130	24.3
Dir. Circ. Mags.		20,100			2,700			1,500			24,300	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		22,200			3,630			96,300			122,130	

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Jefferson City, MISSOURI												
Individuals	4,329	47,800	11.0	503	7,700	15.3	9,624	391,000	40.6	14,456	446,500	30.9
Deposit Collections	319	2,500	7.8	55	400	7.3	603	13,600	22.6	977	16,500	16.9
Dir. Circ. Mags.		56,500			7,500			20,800			84,800	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		106,800			15,600			425,400			547,800	
Helena, MONTANA												
Individuals	390	2,200	5.6				2,461	128,500	52.2	2,851	130,700	45.8
Deposit Collections	24	30	1.3				111	3,700	33.3	135	3,730	27.6
Dir. Circ. Mags.		11,000			Served			3,300			14,300	
Interlibrary Loan		—			by			20			20	
Total		13,230			Utah			135,520			148,750	
Lincoln, NEBRASKA												
Individuals	690	7,500	10.9		200	—	3,154	152,400	48.3	3,844	160,100	41.6
Deposit Collections	77	700	9.1	Served	200	—	275	11,600	42.2	352	12,500	35.5
Dir. Circ. Mags.		18,600		primarily	—			4,800			23,400	
Interlibrary Loan		—		by Utah	—			800			800	
Total		26,800			400			169,600			196,800	
Carson City, NEVADA												
Individuals	1,082	5,300	4.9				1,154	95,700	82.9	2,236	101,000	45.2
Deposit Collections	—	—	—				—	—	—	—	—	—
Dir. Circ. Mags.		29,100			Served			2,400			31,500	
Interlibrary Loan		—			by			—			—	
Total		34,400			Utah			98,100			132,500	

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Concord, NEW HAMPSHIRE												
Individuals	676	3,900	5.8				1,923	93,100	48.4	2,599	97,000	37.3
Deposit Collections	81	6	0.1				81	2,600	32.1	162	2,606	16.1
Dir. Circ. Mags.		23,900		Served by Massachusetts				3,000			26,900	
Interlibrary Loan		—						200			200	
Total		27,806						98,900			126,706	
Trenton, NEW JERSEY												
Individuals	2,639	41,900	15.9	485	20,000	41.2	8,598	401,500	46.7	11,722	463,400	39.5
Deposit Collections	69	500	7.2	7	400	57.1	269	5,500	20.4	345	6,400	18.6
Dir. Circ. Mags.		62,500			7,800			16,200			86,500	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		104,900			28,200			423,200			556,300	
Santa Fe, NEW MEXICO												
Individuals[c]	978	32,100	32.8				2,521	70,700	28.0	3,499	102,800	29.4
Deposit Collections[c]	83	1,000	12.0	Served by Utah			186	1,200	6.5	269	2,200	8.2
Dir. Circ. Mags.[c]		18,900						5,900			24,800	
Interlibrary Loan		—						—			—	
Total		52,000						77,800			129,800	
Albany, NEW YORK (Except NYC and L.I.)												
Individuals	5,432	34,600	6.4	625	8,300	13.3	17,579	512,200	29.1	23,636	555,100	23.5
Deposit Collections	1,346	1,600	1.2	677	1,800	2.7	2,265	22,600	10.0	4,288	26,000	6.1
Dir. Circ. Mags.		98,300			12,100			36,300			146,700	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		134,500			22,200			571,100			727,800	

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New York, NEW YORK												
Individuals	4,709	41,800	8.9	694	4,000	5.8	12,267	586,000	47.8	17,670	631,800	35.8
Deposit Collections	254	600	2.4	32	100	3.1	415	27,700	66.7	701	28,400	40.5
Dir. Circ. Mags.		103,200			14,000			11,400			128,600	
Interlibrary Loan		100			—			3,700			3,800	
Total		145,700			18,100			628,800			792,600	
Raleigh, NORTH CAROLINA												
North Carolina												
Individuals	2,951	52,300	17.7	471	8,800	18.7	7,386	341,000	46.2	10,808	402,100	37.2
Deposit Collections	146	1,300	8.9	47	600	12.8	290	7,400	25.5	483	9,300	19.3
Dir. Circ. Mags.		82,500			9,500			17,900			109,900	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		136,100			18,900			366,300			521,300	
South Carolina												
Individuals				115	2,300	20.0				115	2,300	20.0
Deposit Collections		N/A		3	40	13.3		N/A		3	40	13.3
Dir. Circ. Mags.					4,100						4,100	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					6,440						6,440	
Total—Raleigh												
Individuals	2,951	52,300	17.7	586	11,100	18.9	7,386	341,000	46.2	10,923	404,400	37.0
Deposit Collections	146	1,300	8.9	50	640	12.8	290	7,400	25.5	486	9,340	19.2
Dir. Circ. Mags.		82,500			13,600			17,900			114,000	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		136,100			25,340			366,300			527,740	

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Cincinnati, OHIO												
Individuals	2,581	52,200	20.2	188	4,600	24.5	4,759	272,700	57.3	7,528	329,500	43.8
Deposit Collections	280	6,300	22.5	31	2,600	83.9	366	26,200	71.6	677	35,100	51.8
Dir. Circ. Mags.		41,200			5,000			4,100			50,300	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		99,700			12,200			303,000			414,900	
Cleveland, OHIO												
Individuals	5,087	41,300	8.1	454	8,500	18.7	11,341	539,700	47.6	16,882	589,500	34.9
Deposit Collections	396	2,700	6.8	42	800	19.0	778	31,000	39.8	1,216	34,500	28.4
Dir. Circ. Mags.		73,400			9,800			27,200			110,400	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		117,400			19,100			597,900			734,400	
Oklahoma City, OKLAHOMA												
Individuals	1,495	9,900	6.6	172	800	4.7	5,222	204,600	39.2	6,889	215,300	31.3
Deposit Collections	133	500	3.8	12	20	1.7	328	5,500	16.8	473	6,020	12.7
Dir. Circ. Mags.		30,400			5,100			9,200			44,700	
Interlibrary Loan		400			—			30			430	
Total		41,200			5,920			219,330			266,450	
Salem, OREGON				Served by Utah for part of year.								
Individuals	2,330	16,500	7.1	168	3,100	18.5	7,090	317,500	44.8	9,588	337,100	35.2
Deposit Collections	56	200	3.6	13	100	7.7	248	6,200	25.0	317	6,500	20.5
Dir. Circ. Mags.		33,900			3,900			5,900			43,700	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		50,600			7,100			329,600			387,300	

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Philadelphia, PENNSYLVANIA												
(Incl. braille service to Pittsburgh)												
Eastern Pennsylvania												
Individuals	6,619	94,500	14.3	1,173	16,800	14.3	10,248	350,700	34.2	18,040	462,000	25.6
Deposit Collections	316	1,700	5.4	57	1,900	33.3	434	8,200	18.9	807	11,800	14.6
Dir. Circ. Mags.		162,200			21,900			15,600			199,700	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		258,400			40,600			374,500			673,500	
Delaware												
Individuals				58	1,200	20.7				58	1,200	20.7
Deposit Collections		N/A		9	30	3.3		N/A		9	30	3.3
Dir. Circ. Mags.					300						300	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					1,530						1,530	
West Virginia												
Individuals				122	2,100	17.2				122	2,100	17.2
Deposit Collections		N/A		9	30	3.3		N/A		9	30	3.3
Dir. Circ. Mags.					3,000						3,000	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					5,130						5,130	
Total—Philadelphia												
Individuals	6,619	94,500	14.3	1,353	20,100	14.9	10,248	350,700	34.2	18,220	465,300	25.5
Deposit Collections	316	1,700	5.4	75	1,960	26.1	434	8,200	18.9	825	11,860	14.4
Dir. Circ. Mags.		162,200			25,200			15,600			203,000	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		258,400			47,260			374,500			680,160	

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Pittsburgh, PENNSYLVANIA												
Individuals	4,227	90,300	21.4				8,340	338,400	40.6	12,567	428,700	34.1
Deposit Collections	202	4,700	23.3				306	7,800	25.5	508	12,500	24.6
Dir. Circ. Mags.		144,800		Served by Philadelphia, Pennsylvania				22,500			167,300	
Interlibrary Loan		—						—			—	
Total		239,800						368,700			608,500	
San Juan, PUERTO RICO												
Individuals	15	60	4.0	10	40	4.0	964	6,400	6.6	989	6,500	6.6
Deposit Collections	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	300	12.5	24	300	12.5
Dir. Circ. Mags.		18,700			1,200			4,200			24,100	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		18,760			1,240			10,900			30,900	
Providence, RHODE ISLAND												
Individuals	110	1,300	11.8				1,539	66,300	43.1	1,649	67,600	41.0
Deposit Collections	2	20	10.0				74	2,400	32.4	76	2,420	31.8
Dir. Circ. Mags.		10,000		Served by Massachusetts				1,300			11,300	
Interlibrary Loan		—						—			—	
Total		11,320						70,000			81,320	
Columbia, SOUTH CAROLINA												
Individuals	2,382	15,600	6.5				7,216	227,600	31.5	9,598	243,200	25.3
Deposit Collections	108	900	8.3				284	6,000	21.1	392	6,900	17.6
Dir. Circ. Mags.		39,100		Served by North Carolina				4,200			43,300	
Interlibrary Loan		—						—			—	
Total		55,600						237,800			293,400	

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Pierre, SOUTH DAKOTA												
South Dakota												
Individuals	710	2,900	4.1				2,174	60,300	27.7	2,884	63,200	21.9
Deposit Collections	15	200	13.3				425	700	1.6	440	900	2.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.[d]		13,400			Served			2,600			16,000	
Interlibrary Loan		—			by			200			200	
Total		16,500			Utah			63,800			80,300	
North Dakota												
Individuals	439	1,800	4.1				1,760	42,300	24.0	2,199	44,100	20.1
Deposit Collections	174	500	2.9				223	1,500	6.7	397	2,000	5.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.		—			Served			—			—	
Interlibrary Loan		—			by			—			—	
Total		2,300			Utah			43,800			46,100	
Total—Pierre												
Individuals	1,149	4,700	4.1				3,934	102,600	26.1	5,083	107,300	21.1
Deposit Collections	189	700	3.7				648	2,200	3.4	837	2,900	3.5
Dir. Circ. Mags.		13,400			Served			2,600			16,000	
Interlibrary Loan		—			by			200			200	
Total		18,800			Utah			107,600			126,400	
Nashville, TENNESSEE												
Individuals	762	12,800	16.8	105	2,800	26.7	4,626	221,700	47.9	5,493	237,300	43.2
Deposit Collections	18	400	22.2	6	100	16.7	124	5,400	43.5	148	5,900	39.9
Dir. Circ. Mags.		52,000			6,400			12,100			70,500	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		65,200			9,300			239,200			313,700	

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Austin, TEXAS												
Individuals	8,695	39,200	4.5	1,213	5,200	4.3	24,047	602,000	25.0	33,955	646,400	19.0
Deposit Collections	490	600	1.2	297	1,500	5.1	1,821	19,900	10.9	2,608	22,000	8.4
Dir. Circ. Mags.		168,000			19,400			18,300			205,700	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			1,000			1,000	
Total		207,800			26,100			641,200			875,100	
Salt Lake City, UTAH												
Utah												
Individuals	493	5,000	10.1	181	1,400	7.7	4,600	130,300	28.3	5,274	136,700	25.9
Deposit Collections	14	30	2.1	18	100	5.6	132	2,400	18.2	164	2,530	15.4
Dir. Circ. Mags.		32,000			4,400			6,800			43,200	
Interlibrary Loan		500			900			12,400			13,800	
Total		37,530			6,800			151,900			196,230	
Alaska												
Individuals				18	200	11.1				18	200	11.1
Deposit Collections		N/A		2	15	7.5		N/A		2	15	7.5
Dir. Circ. Mags.					700						700	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					915						915	
Arizona												
Individuals				38	300	7.9				38	300	7.9
Deposit Collections		N/A		5	25	5.0		N/A		5	25	5.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.					4,300						4,300	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					4,625						4,625	

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Colorado												
Individuals				143	2,100	14.7				143	2,100	14.7
Deposit Collections		N/A		6	400	66.7		N/A		6	400	66.7
Dir. Circ. Mags.					4,300						4,300	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					6,800						6,800	
Idaho												
Individuals				54	400	7.4				54	400	7.4
Deposit Collections		N/A		—	—	—		N/A		—	—	—
Dir. Circ. Mags.					900						900	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					1,300						1,300	
Kansas												
Individuals				67	900	13.4				67	900	13.4
Deposit Collections		N/A		3	90	30.0		N/A		3	90	30.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.					3,000						3,000	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					3,990						3,990	
Montana												
Individuals				25	500	20.0		N/A		25	500	20.0
Deposit Collections		N/A		—	—	—				—	—	—
Dir. Circ. Mags.					600						600	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					1,100						1,100	

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Nebraska												
Individuals				75	900	12.0				75	900	12.0
Deposit Collections		N/A		12	100	8.3				12	100	8.3
Dir. Circ. Mags.					2,500			N/A			2,500	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					3,500						3,500	
Nevada												
Individuals				23	200	8.7				23	200	8.7
Deposit Collections		N/A		1	30	30.0		N/A		1	30	30.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.					200						200	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					430						430	
New Mexico												
Individuals				77	800	10.4				77	800	10.4
Deposit Collections		N/A		4	30	7.5		N/A		4	30	7.5
Dir. Circ. Mags.					2,100						2,100	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					2,930						2,930	
North Dakota												
Individuals				20	200	10.0				20	200	10.0
Deposit Collections		N/A		—	—	—		N/A		—	—	—
Dir. Circ. Mags.[c]					—						—	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					200						200	

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	Reader-ship	Circula-tion	Circ. per indiv/dep	Reader-ship	Circula-tion	Circ. per indiv/dep	Reader-ship	Circula-tion	Circ. per indiv/dep	Reader-ship	Circula-tion	Circ. per indiv/dep
Oklahoma												
Individuals					700	—					700	—
Deposit Collections		N/A		Primarily served by	80	—		N/A			80	—
Dir. Circ. Mags.				Oklahoma	—						—	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					780						780	
South Dakota												
Individuals				45	500	11.1				45	500	11.1
Deposit Collections		N/A		—	—	—		N/A		—	—	—
Dir. Circ. Mags.					900						900	
Interlibrary Loan					—						—	
Total					1,400						1,400	
Wyoming												
Individuals	127	1,800	14.2	24	200	8.3	1,030	48,000	46.6	1,181	50,000	42.3
Deposit Collections	16	300	18.8	—	—	—	43	1,800	41.9	59	2,100	35.6
Dir. Circ. Mags.		—			—			—			—	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			—			—	
Total		2,100			200			49,800			52,100	
Total—Salt Lake City												
Individuals	620	6,800	11.0	790	9,300	11.8	5,630	178,300	31.7	7,040	194,400	27.6
Deposit Collections	30	330	11.0	51	870	17.1	175	4,200	24.0	256	5,400	21.1
Dir. Circ. Mags.		32,000			23,900			6,800			62,700	
Interlibrary Loan		500			900			12,400			13,800	
Total		39,630			34,970			201,700			276,300	

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	Reader-ship	Circula-tion	Circ. per indiv/dep	Reader-ship	Circula-tion	Circ. per indiv/dep	Reader-ship	Circula-tion	Circ. per indiv/dep	Reader-ship	Circula-tion	Circ. per indiv/dep
Montpelier, VERMONT												
Individuals	237	1,600	6.8				1,536	66,200	43.1	1,773	67,800	38.2
Deposit Collections	1	0	0.0				9	100	11.1	10	100	10.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.		6,400		Served by Massachusetts				2,500			8,900	
Interlibrary Loan		—						10			10	
Total		8,000						68,810			76,810	
St. Croix, VIRGIN ISLANDS												
Individuals	45	70	1.6	1	7	7.0	150	2,800	18.7	196	2,877	14.7
Deposit Collections	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	200	25.0	8	200	25.0
Dir. Circ. Mags.		1,400			60			400			1,860	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			60			60	
Total		1,470			67			3,460			4,997	
Richmond, VIRGINIA												
Individuals	1,985	17,900	9.0	268	4,300	16.0	7,766	305,800	39.4	10,019	328,000	32.7
Deposit Collections	84	500	6.0	9	200	22.2	320	7,000	21.9	413	7,700	18.6
Dir. Circ. Mags.		46,800			7,900			9,900			64,600	
Interlibrary Loan		200			60			5,000			5,260	
Total		65,400			12,460			327,700			405,560	
Seattle, WASHINGTON												
Individuals	3,543	42,200	11.9	393	27,900	71.0	8,293	370,200	44.6	12,229	440,300	36.0
Deposit Collections	100	500	5.0	33	900	27.3	287	7,500	26.1	420	8,900	21.2
Dir. Circ. Mags.		113,700			7,400			7,100			128,200	
Interlibrary Loan		—			—			1,000			1,000	
Total		156,400			36,200			385,800			578,400	

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Charleston, WEST VIRGINIA												
Individuals	1,199	5,500	4.6	Served primarily by Philadelphia, PA	300		3,553	109,200	30.7	4,752	115,000	24.2
Deposit Collections	66	300	4.5		—		141	3,500	24.8	207	3,800	18.4
Dir. Circ. Mags.		22,500			—			8,000			30,500	
Interlibrary Loan		400			—			7,000			7,400	
Total		28,700			300			127,700			156,700	
Milwaukee, WISCONSIN												
Individuals	1,562	25,600	16.4	Served primarily by Illinois	60		6,027	231,300	38.4	7,589	256,960	33.9
Deposit Collections	13	2,700	207.7		400		19	2,900	152.6	32	6,000	187.5
Dir. Circ. Mags.		64,300			—			4,500			68,800	
Interlibrary Loan		30			20			600			650	
Total		92,630			480			239,300			332,410	
NLS, LC												
Individuals												
Overseas	159	1,700	10.7	25	100	4.0	469	12,000	25.6	653	13,800	21.1
Music	202	300	1.5	507	4,000	7.9	1,076	13,000	12.1	1,785	17,300	9.7
Dir. Circ. Mags.												
Overseas		7,700			1,300			300			9,300	
Music		48,800			5,800			—			54,600	
Interlibrary Loan		10			200			4,900			5,110	
Total		58,510			11,400			30,200			100,110	
MULTISTATE CENTERS												
Interlibrary Loan		6,400			6,000			55,200			67,600	

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GRAND TOTALS												
Individuals	139,724	1,260,830	9.0	16,189	259,507	16.0	396,065	15,198,700	38.4	551,978	16,719,037	30.3
Deposit Collections	10,123	62,716	6.2	1,990	19,193	9.6	23,864	595,550	25.0	35,977	677,459	18.8
Dir. Circ. Mags.[f]		3,246,400			351,960			560,000			4,158,360	
Interlibrary Loan		16,450			18,750			212,120			247,320	
Total		4,586,396			649,410			16,566,370			21,802,176[g]	
PERCENT OF TOTAL												
Individuals	25.3%	7.5%		2.9%	1.6%		71.8%	90.9%				
Deposit Collections	28.1%	9.3%		5.5%	2.8%		66.3%	87.9%				
Dir. Circ. Mags.		78.1%			8.5%			13.5%				
Interlibrary Loan		6.7%			7.6%			85.8%				

[a] Totals for recorded disc include flexible disc.

[b] Libraries listed are regional libraries; totals include their subregionals.

[c] Information is from fiscal year 1992.

[d] Total includes direct circulation of magazines to other states served.

[e] Included with South Dakota.

[f] All direct circulation magazine statistics include *Talking Book Topics* and *Braille Book Review*. Magazines are sent directly from producers to patrons.

[g] All circulation statistics are containers (disc and cassette) or volumes (braille).

N/A - not applicable.

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		Sources of Funding				Staff (FTE)	Area (sq. ft.)	RD	RC	BR	Commercial Recordings
		Federal	State	Local	Other[b]						
ALABAMA											
Montgomery	$354,419	$15,980	$338,439	—	—	8.0	41,000	46,500	181,900	27,800	—
Anniston	45,240	9,250[c]	—	$32,490	$3,500	1.5	3,000	3,000	20,000	—	—
Dothan	16,226	—	—	13,566	2,660	0.7	3,040	2,200	19,800	—	—
Huntsville	66,850	—	—	66,000	850	3.0	2,030	5,300	8,500	—	200
Talladega	338,277	92,074	239,894	—	6,309	4.0	1,890	11,000	20,200	8,200	—
Tuscaloosa	21,514	—	—	21,514	—	1.1	2,665	3,700	10,500	—	25
ALASKA											
Anchorage	82,500	—	82,500	—	—	2.2	8,000	9,000	38,200	—	200
ARIZONA											
Phoenix	811,000	76,000	695,800	—	39,200	22.7	21,000	74,500	192,600	350	—
ARKANSAS											
Little Rock	490,080	307,515	181,199	—	1,366	8.0	12,530	20,400	67,500	9,700	—
Fayetteville	101,260	—	45,856	54,833	571	4.0	2,534	14,800	39,700	—	—
Ft. Smith	36,968	—	7,968	29,000	—	2.0	1,152	1,200	13,800	—	—
Jonesboro	60,387[d]	—	59,074	—	1,313	2.3	1,450	5,600	18,300	—	—
Magnolia	31,928	—	31,928	—	—	2.5	2,266	3,900	17,000	—	—
CALIFORNIA											
Los Angeles	1,996,000	—	574,077	—	1,421,923	39.6	64,106	99,400	732,600	30,200	—
Sacramento	1,867,377	253,500	1,593,877[e]	—	20,000	21.0	18,700	96,100	347,500	10,800	—
Fresno	2,695[f]	—	—	—	2,695	3.5	1,760	1,700	19,700	—	500
San Francisco	250,000	—	—	238,000	12,000	4.0	3,700	5,000	23,100	—	—
COLORADO											
Denver	431,251	71,962	359,289	—	—	11.0	26,000	53,100	162,800	100	—

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		Federal	State	Local	Other[b]						
CONNECTICUT											
Rocky Hill[g]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
DELAWARE											
Dover	$118,632	$72,108	$45,227	—	$1,297[d]	3.5	1,644	1,800	17,300	—	—
WASHINGTON, DC	251,000	30,000	—	$220,000	1,000	11.0	15,700	25,000	150,600	2,500	600
FLORIDA											
Daytona Beach	1,370,034	25,000	1,345,034	—	—	33.0	69,160	212,200	1,036,900	114,400	—
Bradenton	86,311	—	—	84,731	1,580	3.0	1,250	1,900	17,100	—	—
Cocoa	125,096	17,485	—	106,169	1,442[d]	3.3	2,160	2,000	14,800	—	—
Ft. Lauderdale	[h]	—	—	—	—	4.5	2,235	2,400	38,400	200	—
Jacksonville	124,042	—	—	123,617	425	3.6	1,500	1,800	15,300	400	—
Largo	266,353	126,670	15,387	120,386	3,910	5.5	6,200	1,700	15,400	—	100
Miami	[h]	—	—	—	—	5.5	2,002	3,900	37,700	90	—
N. Ft. Myers	102,423	—	—	102,423	—	3.2	2,187	3,300	14,200	—	—
Orlando	45,685	—	9,905	35,780	—	2.5	3,200	10,900	20,700	100	—
Pensacola	27,960	—	—	27,960	—	1.4	900	1,500	11,900	—	—
Riviera Beach[i]	151,500	—	—	148,000	3,500	5.5	7,500	8,700	24,800	—	—
Tampa	143,050	—	—	142,845	205	4.5	2,000	5,500	22,600	70	—
GEORGIA											
Atlanta	222,600	76,800[d]	145,800	—	—	10.0	12,983	12,000	125,400	3,700	—
Albany	66,884	—	66,884	—	—	2.5	2,838	7,400	19,600	100	—
Athens	79,005	—	76,505	—	2,500[d]	2.5	2,034	7,000	15,600	—	—
Augusta	87,965	—	86,850	—	1,115	3.5	4,420	8,700	22,700	—	400
Bainbridge	53,028	—	50,368	—	2,660	1.7	1,480	3,100	11,100	70	30
Brunswick	94,653	—	94,653	—	—	3.0	1,500	4,800	29,600	200	—
Columbus	85,230	—	65,220	20,010	—	3.0	600	3,200	20,300	—	30
Dublin	54,660	54,660	—	—	—	2.5	1,761	10,000	23,500	—	—
Gainesville	68,362	—	68,362	—	—	3.0	1,400	1,700	23,700	—	—
LaFayette	56,115	—	56,115	—	—	2.0	3,012	500	15,600	—	—

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GEORGIA (con't.)											
Macon	$119,844	—	$118,344	—	$1,500	3.0	1,802	6,400	21,100	—	—
Rome	146,837	$51,000	94,447	—	1,390	4.5	4,200	10,600	25,400	—	—
Savannah	52,924	—	51,383	—	1,541[d]	1.8	2,044	6,400	16,400	—	150
Valdosta	43,941	—	43,941	—	—	1.5	1,150	2,200	6,000	—	25
HAWAII											
Honolulu	524,155	9,000	465,287	—	49,868[j]	13.5	9,324	31,500	63,000	19,900	3,200
Guam[g]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
IDAHO											
Boise	229,120	—	223,819	—	5,301[d]	11.0	6,900	21,600	62,900	—	600
ILLINOIS											
Chicago	668,713	—	668,713	—	—	14.0	30,000[k]	36,800	174,800	14,400	—
Carterville	135,887	—	135,887	—	—	5.5	2,250	700	22,200	—	—
Chicago	216,457	—	216,457	—	—	3.0	30,000[k]	3,400	45,400	—	—
Coal Valley	136,230	—	135,930	—	300	4.0	2,353	1,700	33,000	—	600
Geneva	328,176	—	328,176	—	—	11.0	3,300	5,600	57,900	—	—
Pekin	226,450	34,100	181,440	910	10,000	6.7	4,485	6,600	50,200	—	—
Quincy	161,619	—	161,619	—	—	4.0	2,715	5,000	33,800	—	—
INDIANA											
Indianapolis	322,940	144,346	178,594	—	—	14.0	15,276	59,200	113,800	30,000	—
Columbus	40,901	40,901	—	—	—	2.0	3,036	4,400	14,500	—	—
Elkhart	53,316	53,316	—	—	—	2.0	1,265	4,500	12,000	—	—
Evansville	59,305	41,843	—	17,462	—	2.5	1,600	3,200	13,500	—	—
Merrillville	48,295	48,295	—	—	—	2.1	1,196	6,000	13,700	—	—
IOWA											
Des Moines[l]	1,093,194	488,273	578,921	—	26,000	27.0	31,296	119,400	155,900	113,600	—

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KANSAS											
Emporia	$158,516	—	$158,516	—	—	5.0	4,809	8,500	46,600	70	—
Great Bend	71,222	$16,537	35,235	$19,450	—	3.5	2,217	7,900[i]	18,000[i]	—	—
Hutchinson	76,073	16,538	35,235	24,300	—	2.7	4,809	10,000	18,500	—	—
Manhattan	95,540	18,375	46,650	30,148	$367	3.5	2,703	4,800	25,000	—	—
Norton	56,185	13,475	36,210	6,500	—	2.6	2,700	2,200	27,300	—	—
Topeka	173,039	130,742	—	42,297	—	6.0	6,000	13,300	47,400	—	—
Wichita	129,517	80,365	—	49,152	—	3.5	2,691	5,400	29,400	—	—
KENTUCKY											
Frankfort	338,110	6,210	328,400	—	3,500	11.5	16,271	35,000	88,000	16,000	—
Covington	49,790	35,505[d]	—	14,285	—	1.9	452	4,500	25,100	—	—
Louisville	137,556	91,070	—	—	46,486[d]	6.6	2,160	11,500	34,100	—	600
LOUISIANA											
Baton Rouge	356,582	203,567	153,015	—	—	18.0	9,000	10,100i	90,200	23,900	—
MAINE											
Augusta	144,061	77,061	67,000	—	—	9.0	18,088	13,200	61,100	—	—
MARYLAND											
Baltimore	800,295	124,680	675,615	—	—	13.0	32,632	27,000	117,700	9,200	—
Bethesda	141,600	—	—	140,000	1,600	4.1	10,500	1,700	22,600	150	100
Hyattsville	100,000	—	—	100,000	—	2.8	1,615	1,000	18,000	—	—
MASSACHUSETTS											
Watertown	838,751	—	838,751	—	—	20.0	15,252	42,200	101,500	21,700	—
Worcester	154,332	—	124,165	500	29,667	4.8	12,251	3,100	17,800	—	—

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MICHIGAN											
Lansing	$480,780	—	$480,780	—	—	11.0	19,242	74,100	169,300	40,900	—
Alpena[g]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ann Arbor	291,266	$37,167	20,167	$227,154	$6,778[d]	3.0	1,495	3,500	20,500	—	—
Clinton Township	180,708	26,535	17,476	120,880	15,817	2.8	1,515	700	15,900	—	—
Farmington Hills	233,485	29,000	17,478	115,294	71,713[d]	8.0	2,500	2,500	25,000	—	—
Flint	56,288	15,000	37,288	4,000	—	1.5	478	800	16,200	—	—
Grand Rapids	86,077	18,000	17,479	48,808	1,790	3.0	1,020	4,900	12,800	—	—
Marquette	77,234	43,280	33,078	876	—	3.0	1,800	2,700	22,300	—	—
Muskegon	53,316	9,000	17,478	25,503	1,335	1.5	540	1,000	10,100	100	—
Port Huron	33,418	11,000	18,160	3,758	500	4.5	1,095	2,100	15,600	—	—
Traverse City	61,157	16,000	17,479	26,758	920	2.3	770	3,300	10,700	—	1,500
Wayne	366,013	29,000	95,000[d]	222,283	19,730	8.5	6,029	7,300	77,600	—	500
Detroit	120,006	11,000	17,479	91,527	—	3.3	4,207	1,900	36,700	100	200
MINNESOTA											
Faribault	412,094	—	403,594	—	8,500	10.5	17,000	30,700	138,900	10,500	—
MISSISSIPPI											
Jackson	212,708	35,494	177,214	—	—	8.5	8,000	22,600	90,400	9,300	—
MISSOURI											
Jefferson City	317,938	44,000	273,938	—	—	21.5	10,857	72,300	272,400	35,800	—
MONTANA											
Helena	215,471	109,407	81,064	—	25,000[d]	5.5	9,145	26,600	91,000	—	—
NEBRASKA											
Lincoln	534,605[d]	79,858	454,747	—	—	17.0	10,699	65,100	120,200	700	—
NEVADA											
Carson City	85,521	20,000	64,672	—	849	2.0	7,000	24,400	44,900	—	—
Las Vegas	50,000	50,000	—	—	—	2.5	2,200	6,800	23,400	—	—

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NEW HAMPSHIRE											
Concord	$181,518	$86,518	$95,000	—	—	6.5	7,788	12,700	46,800	—	—
NEW JERSEY											
Trenton	948,400	390,000	550,000	—	8,400	30.5	26,184	207,500	353,300	31,000	—
NEW MEXICO											
Santa Fe	243,716	—	243,716	—	—	7.3	13,668	6,800	206,300	—	—
NEW YORK											
Albany	1,538,294[d]	395,116	1,143,178	—	—	27.0	5,779+	161,500	384,200	35,600	—
New York City	1,277,922	120,000	801,960	$355,962	—	30.5	43,000	192,100	453,600	17,900	140
Bellport	198,002	—	194,002	—	4,000	7.0	3,712	10,600	72,400	—	—
Uniondale	171,439	—	171,439	—	—	9.0	760	9,100	33,700	—	—
NORTH CAROLINA											
Raleigh	1,183,043	59,721[d]	1,118,622	—	4,700[j]	42.5	20,000	49,700	155,600	22,800	—
NORTH DAKOTA											
Served by SOUTH DAKOTA											
OHIO											
Cincinnati	734,762	82,940	646,192	—	5,630	14.0	13,760	76,000	213,800	21,300	—
Cleveland	1,009,032	112,453	851,627	44,952	—	18.0	15,212	60,000	175,300	7,600	—
OKLAHOMA											
Oklahoma City	825,179	25,179	800,000	—	—	25.0	17,000	35,300	108,300	17,900	—
Tulsa	37,469	—	—	37,469	—	3.0	1,759	3,700	19,600	—	—
OREGON											
Salem	498,582	76,990	391,592	—	30,000	8.5	12,250	37,800	163,300	11,300	100

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		Sources of Funding				Staff (FTE)	Area (sq. ft.)	RD	RC	BR	Commercial Recordings
		Federal	State	Local	Other[b]						
PENNSYLVANIA											
Philadelphia	$1,232,311	—	$1,232,311	—	—	29.0	27,000	198,700	390,800	40,000	200
Pittsburgh	880,264	—	880,264	—	—	20.0	36,000	187,900	317,100	—	—
PUERTO RICO											
San Juan[g]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
RHODE ISLAND											
Providence	316,257	$82,543[d]	216,038	—	$17,676[d]	5.3	1,912	10,500	61,500	450	—
SOUTH CAROLINA											
Columbia	665,604	94,804[d]	567,729	—	3,071[d]	10.0	28,276	57,500	179,100	—	—
SOUTH DAKOTA											
Pierre	374,326	282,438[m]	85,388	—	6,500	17.7	8,660	12,900	141,800	1,500	—
TENNESSEE											
Nashville	672,421	140,000	532,421	—	—	14.0	22,848	73,800	155,200	25,900	—
TEXAS											
Austin	1,320,450	—	1,223,033	—	97,417[d]	52.0	52,898	167,700	724,000	22,000	5,700
UTAH											
Salt Lake City	690,367	199,367[n]	491,000	—	—	18.0	19,943	27,900	139,500	36,400	—
VERMONT											
Montpelier[h]	155,828	46,000	109,348[d]	—	480	4.0	3,300	13,000	28,700	—	—
VIRGIN ISLANDS											
St. Croix	99,000	14,000	85,000	—	—	4.0	2,600	6,000	37,300	—	—

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VIRGINIA											
Richmond	$492,132	—	$470,922	—	$21,210	15.0	14,000	20,200	112,300	15,000	—
Alexandria	80,883	$6,687	—	$73,446	750	0.9	848	2,200	12,500	—	—
Alexandria (Fairfax)	247,859	12,859	—	235,000	—	9.5	3,943	1,000	22,400	—	—
Arlington	69,791	5,991	—	60,400	3,400	3.8	924	30,200	11,700	—	—
Fredericksburg	6,384	6,384	—	—	—	2.7	700	1,700	7,500	—	3,600
Hampton	5,884	5,884	[h]	[h]	—	3.0	3,699	7,400	18,400	900	—
Newport News	50,492	6,552	—	43,640	300	2.4	700	3,000	9,200	—	—
Roanoke	59,958	6,885	—	53,073	—	3.5	4,500	700	9,200	200	—
Staunton	50,592	10,160	—	24,272	16,160	2.0	936	4,200	12,800	—	—
Virginia Beach[i]	235,972	11,613	—	223,949	410	6.5	3,000	4,700	14,200	—	300
WASHINGTON											
Seattle	1,276,248	27,000	1,158,769	—	90,479[c]	18.4	27,000	25,600	135,900	29,400	—
WEST VIRGINIA											
Charleston	211,972	41,622	170,350	—	—	6.6	7,200	9,900	85,500	—	—
Charleston	[h]	—	—	—	—	2.5	1,344	800	5,400	—	—
Huntington	[h]	—	—	—	—	0.9	850	5,800	19,100	—	—
Parkersburg	1,444	[h]	[h]	[h]	1,444	1.5	1,154	1,800	10,400	—	—
Romney	[h]	—	—	—	—	0.8	2,480	3,300	7,400	2,900	900
Wheeling	[h]	—	—	—	—	1.0	7,900	7,900	17,800	—	—
WISCONSIN											
Milwaukee	601,947	—	563,400	—	38,547	18.0	11,448	14,300	57,500	2,600	700
WYOMING											
Served by UTAH											

[a] Number of containers (recorded discs and cassettes) and volumes (braille) both mass-produced and volunteer-produced.
[b] Other sources of funding include one-time contributions from private organizations; gifts and bequests. Larger amounts are often from endowments and trust fund interest or income, which may continue from year to year.
[c] Includes one-time funding for automation.
[d] Includes carryover from prior fiscal year(s).
[#] Data requested, but not submitted.
[h] Information unavailable.
[i] Current data unavailable; data are from preceding fiscal year.
[j] Includes one-time funding for special projects.
[k] Shared facilities.
[l] Includes funds for braille service to South Carolina.
[m] Includes funds for braille service to North Dakota.
[n] Includes funds for braille service to 12 other states.

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